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Both Senators Called Upon to Deliver Speeches.

ALLEN ALMOST MOVED TO TEARS.

Both Men Pledged Themselves to Represent the Whole State—Squire Asks His Constituents Not to Expect Too Much.

OLYMPIA, Nov. 20.—The election of John B. Allen and Watson C. Squire as Washington's first United States senators was formally announced in the joint convention of the two branches of the legislature at noon to-day.

When the session began Lieutenant-Governor Laughton instructed Secretary Barton, of the senate, to read the statue governing senatorial elections. Just then he was informed that Governor Ferry and Senator-elect Squire and Allen were in the anteroom and he appointed Representative Geoghegan and Senator Thompson, of Pierce, to escort them into the house.

They made their appearance a moment later, Governor Ferry and Representative Geoghegan walked arm in arm to the foot of the speaker's stand, followed by Senators Allen and Squire and Thompson in procession form. They were greeted with great applause.

Lieutenant-Governor Laughton received them and extended the courtesies of the joint convention to them.

Governor Ferry took a seat to the right of Speaker Feighan and Senators Allen and Squire sat together at the foot of the speaker's stand.

The reading of those portions of the senate and house journals relating to the senatorial election, which had been interrupted by the entrance of the senators and the governor, was then resumed.

At 12:18 Lieutenant-Governor Laughton announced the election of Squire and Allen amid great applause, and introduced Mr. Allen, who was heartily received.

SENATOR ALLEN'S ADDRESS.

The new senator did not misstate things when he said in the beginning of his speech that he could not if he would, conceal the fact that he was greatly moved. He ascended the steps leading to the speaker's stand with unsteady gait, and had to lean on the desk for support. His voice was choked with emotion, and it was with difficulty that he kept the tears back. He was attired in a black diagonal suit, with Prince Albert coat. As he spoke he stood with his left hand resting on the desk, while his right was buried in the folds of his coat, in Napoleonic fashion.

He spoke as follows:

Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the Legislature of Washington: I would not, I would conceal from you the fact that I am greatly moved on this occasion. My mind, my thought, my will, are floating adrift upon the flood of my emotions. The first thought that rises to my mind and heart, carries me back to the time of twenty years ago, when I entered the territory of Washington with the humble population of twenty-three thousand people, dreaming, hoping and praying against hope that there would be a time when Washington would become one of the sovereign states of the Union. I scarcely dared to dream, much less to aspire to be one of the first senators who should represent the commonwealth of the state of Washington in the national senate. From this scene my mind goes back to what was then the legislative assembly of Washington. It had no dignity, it had no constitution; the only authority of legislation I found, as I came to study this system of government, was that it had a rare charter from the congress of the United States, and one most sacred rights of person and property were subjected to organic law as made it as uncertain as an amendment to an appropriation bill. But it, in a moment, as it were, in the twinkling of an eye, from this condition of martyrdom, you have emerged into the grand condition of no state as and statehood. [Applause.] Indeed, on this occasion, I come with grateful heart to acknowledge my thanks and gratitude to the legislative body of state, no less [illegible] than to the people of the mightiest state of the Union, for the high honor it has conferred upon me. I feel that in the competition, if not free and manly competition, that there has been the fair, honorable exhibition that perhaps the mantle of your favor has fallen upon the least worthy of the candidates. In receiving this honor, gentlemen, the highest from my life has been realized; but at once, on receiving it, I have a broader vision, a prouder horizon before me, a higher ambition has inspired my soul, and this is, that, not only I may obtain this position, but that I may be able to come before you with the consciousness that to the best of my ability I have so discharged its duties that you will feel you have made no mistake in entrusting the charge in my keeping. [Applause.]

SPEECH OF SENATOR SQUIRE.

Lieutenant-Governor Laughton next introduced Senator Squire, who was received a great ovation. He was calm and collected, and conducted himself in his usual matter-of-fact way. He wore an ordinary business suit. He said:

Gentlemen of the Joint Legislature of the State of Washington: It is with a deep sense of gratefulness that I appear before you to thank you for the great honor you have bestowed upon me. It is also with a deep sense of the responsibility that shall hereafter devolve upon me. It seems to me a very remarkable election in many respects. The fact that so many of you comprising together men coming from all parts of our state should agree and work together so harmoniously without anything that might reflect upon the characters of yourselves, or of those whom you have elected, that you should agree by nearly a three-fourths vote, and by nearly an equal vote for each of the candidates, and without a caucus, that can show a have come to such a conclusion it seems to me a remarkable fact in the annals of our country. I know of no such occurrence in any other state in this Union. Now, gentlemen, I do not want to make an extended speech to-day, but I wish to say this to you while I believe I will be the equivalent of my honored colleague and myself to represent you and to represent this great state worthily, and to act with such harmony and co-operation that, in doing achieve results such as you have a right to expect, yet I may be permitted to ask of you and the people of this state that you will not expect too much of us, and hereafter as you do expect you will not expect to realize too soon. You are good enough, gentlemen, that the states of the Pacific coast constitute an important portion of this mighty Union, and you are aware that the people of the United States and their representatives in congress are very [illegible] to be informed in regard to your condition, and many of them have but little knowledge of your resources and [illegible]. Therefore there is much room by way of a proper education of the minds of the gentlemen in Washington with whom we may come in contact. Laying, let me remark that you will, of course, expect us to conduct ourselves there in the grave body in which we will be accorded seats, with such moderation and modesty as to gain the approval and approbation of those with whom we may be associated. Therefore you will not expect us to make such demands in the beginning as to the [illegible] to the retention of these seats.

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DEFEATED CANDIDATES GO HOME

Squire and Allen Hope to Secure Needed Legislation.

MORE CONGRATULATIONS RECEIVED

Remarks of Various Slates—Charges That Squire and Allen Combined—Tacoma Afraid of Securing None of the Spoils.

OLYMPIA, Nov. 20.—The legislative muddle has been settled. The governor has been inaugurated, the senators have been elected and the capital city has resumed its wonted placidity. Here and there a few flags and streamers of bunting flutter dismally in the moist November air and are, but the remnants of the gayety attendant upon the setting of the machinery of state government in motion.

Quiet rules at the senatorial headquarters, in motion. The gang of wire-pullers and the defeated aspirants are all in the "soup," as Joe Brents says. Sprague has already gone home, and Thompson and Turner pulled up stakes to-day. Brents will leave for Walla Walla via Portland to-morrow morning.

Senator-elect Squire and wife left this afternoon for Seattle, and John B. Allen will go to-morrow.

The new senators have been busy all day receiving congratulations, to say nothing of being importuned by federal office-seekers and their friends.

Senator Squire has considerable business to attend to in Seattle, but will lose no time in starting for the national capital. He will go not later than Saturday.

Senator Allen will spend to-morrow in Tacoma and will start Friday morning for Walla Walla. He will stay one day at home and with his family will go east.

Senator Squire was busy packing up when an OREGONIAN reporter called on him this morning and asked him what course he would pursue in congress.

"Above all I will represent the state of Washington. I was elected by the representatives of the people, and I will do my best to serve them. Whatever is their interest will receive my hearty sanction and support. Washington needs many things, and it will be the purpose of her delegation to get as many of them as possible. That we ought to have our share of appropriations goes without saying. At the same time we should not be too rash for we cannot get everything at once." In the list of things needed might be included such things as the clearing of rivers emptying into the sound, the improvement of the Columbia river, and Grays Harbor, and the erection of fortifications and legislation with reference to the proposed navy yard."

Senator Allen was found at his headquarters. This is what he said: "I expect to go to Washington to devote myself primarily to the interests of the state of Washington and of her citizens. These are so numerous and so important, and on account of our territorial condition have been so long overlooked by congress, that it imposes on the delegation great work. We hope to cooperate with the Pacific coast members of congress to secure our local needs, and by co-operation secure legislation for the coast which we would otherwise be unable to obtain."

The enterprising people of Tacoma are not sulking because a Pierce county man was not elected senator, as the appended telegram received by Senator Allen, shows:

TACOMA, Nov. 20.
The people of Tacoma desire to extend to you and Senator Squire an informal reception. Please inform us what day would be most convenient to yourselves.
S. A. WHEELWRIGHT, Mayor.
NELS N. BENNETT.

Senator Allen sent the following answer:

OLYMPIA, Nov. 20.
Owing to the absence of Senator Squire and the preoccupation of Governor Ferry with official duties, and the necessity of my immediate departure, I am compelled to send my regrets.
JOHN B. ALLEN.

Senator Allen has been receiving congratulatory telegrams all day. Here are a few of the prominent ones. He has the good will of the Oregon senators:

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.
I heartily congratulate you on your election and return your compliment of seven years ago.
J. N. DOLPH.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.
I regard your election as not only a personal victory but as having an important bearing upon the future of our party.
W. H. TAYLOR.

MONTESANO, Nov. 20.
The people of Montesano extend their hearty congratulations on your election as United States senator.
W. Z. GOODELL, Mayor.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.
Please accept my sincere congratulations on your promotion.
J. H. MITCHELL.

The five Pierce county republicans who voted for Allen yesterday were not so jubilant this morning, and if they had it to do over again, it is probable that they would not vote for the Walla Walla man. One of them said to-day that Allen was responsible for General Sprague's defeat. This result was attained, they say, by his entering into the combine with Squire.

The politicians are trying to figure what Whitman county will get for standing by Allen, and have come to the conclusion that J. M. Hill, chairman of the republican committee of Whitman county, will get the United States marshalship.

When Allen was elected delegate last year he is said to have promised the place to Captain Brown, of Tacoma, but has gone back on his pledge, saying it was made under territorial conditions.

Pierce county, it is asserted, will be placated in the appointment of Thad Huston, of Tacoma, as United States district attorney. The fact that three King county men, Senator Kirkman and Representatives Bothell and Hughes, did not vote for Allen, has given rise to some comment.

The Spokane delegation expected some votes from King county in return for their support of Squire, and the King county men were canvassed to find out who were not pledged for Allen, and Kirkman, Bothell and Hughes being undecided, it was decided that they should vote for Turner. Representative Allen wanted to vote for Turner, but he stands at the head of the house roll call, and Allen's King county workers feared it would be setting a bad precedent if the first man to vote should be for Turner. Judge Turner conceded his defeat to his friends early Tuesday morning. When he heard of the combination between the Allen and Squire men he saw that he had no show.

CLARKE COUNTY GRATIFIED.

Over the Selection of Allen and Squire as United States Senators.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 20.—The republicans of Vancouver and Clarke county are highly satisfied with the action of their representatives in supporting ex-Governor Squire and Hon. John B. Allen. The former they know to be especially fitted for the trust reposed in him by the people of Washington, while the latter was their particular favorite, and they are gratified that it was one of their representatives who was honored by being permitted to put Mr. Allen in nomination. Mr. Allen's strength in Clarke county was fully exemplified in the last territorial campaign, when he received here more than the full strength of the party, whereas in former campaigns Voorhees had always obtained majorities against the previous republican nominees.

The Denver Baseball Series Closed.

DENVER, Nov. 20.—The series of games between the St. Louis and Boston clubs in this city closed today. The game was called on account of darkness. The score to-day stood 8 to 8 in the ninth inning. Both teams will go to Colorado Springs and Pueblo, where the St. Louis will leave for the South and the Bostons go on to the coast. A third in this series is now in progress at the largest hall in Denver.

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Besides these, the car and machine shops, round house and other buildings for the western division of the Oregon Pacific Railroad Company will be erected here.

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For next season plans are already being drawn for the erection of thirteen fine brick blocks, which will include some of the finest buildings in the state.

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Dr. Valenta, the Brazilian minister, has not yet been officially requested to ask the United States government to recognize the United States of Brazil. He believes that such a request will not be made immediately, but that the new government will wait a reasonable length of time to satisfy the world of its stability before seeking formal recognition. The minister regards the views of the dominating republicans, as set forth in their manifesto, as most reasonable in all respects.

GREAT EXCITEMENT AT LISBON.

PARIS, Nov. 20.—A private telegram from Lisbon states that there is great excitement there over the Brazilian revolution. There is renewal of the fears of a republican uprising. The royal palace is guarded by troops for the first time since the death of the late king. The Portuguese minister, however, declares that the change in Brazil will have no serious effect in Portugal. The republicans are few and the soldiers loyal.

ORDERED TO RIO.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 20.—A Washington special says: Admiral Gillis, commanding the South American squadron, has been ordered to go with the Richmond and Tallapoosa to Rio Janeiro to protect American interests.

DOM PEDRO AND HIS PEOPLE.

A Monarch Who Has Reigned Longer Than Any Living Ruler.

Dom Pedro the deposed emperor of Brazil, is the oldest monarch in point of service in the world, he having been declared emperor six years before Victoria was called to the throne of Great Britain, although he is the junior of Prince Albert's relict by three or four years. Stormy times rested upon Brazil from the year 1821 until 1831. In the former year disaffection against the ruling monarch, Dom Joas VI., led to his practical abdication in favor of his son, Dom Pedro I., the father leaving for Portugal, to the crown of which he had succeeded. The popularity of Dom Pedro I., began to wane soon after he ascended the throne because of the favoritism he showed Portuguese residing in Brazil, and he, in turn, was compelled to leave his South American throne for Europe in 1831, intrusting his son, Dom Pedro II., then 5 years old, and his three sisters to the tender mercies of his subjects. Thus for fifty-eight years Dom Pedro has ruled over his fickle people, although he was not declared of legal age until nine years after his assumption of the title of emperor, or in 1840, when he was but a lad of 14. Four years later Dom Pedro married the sister of the king of Naples, and their marriage has been a peculiarly happy one. One child, Isabel, born in 1846, is the living fruit of their wedlock. Isabel married, and she and her child, born in October, 1875, are the only offspring of the couple. No crowned person in the world has afforded so many instances of devotion to his subjects and a desire to promote their interests as Dom Pedro. Not only has he given consent to and encouraged movements looking to the amelioration of the condition of his people, but in 1871 he caused to be passed a law which declared that thenceforward all children born of slaves should be free, and also declaring that all slaves belonging to the state or to the imperial household should thenceforward be free. Slavery is now almost extinct within the empire.

The emperor is a man of rare intellectual qualities, and had he not been a ruler of men he might have attained to no mean reputation as author and scholar. Master of a number of the living languages, a man of poetic temperament and yet at the same time of philosophic mind, he possesses equal moral attainments. He is a model husband, a fond father, a patriot as he has understood the term. In 1876 and once since he left his country in order to study the manners and customs of other peoples that he might learn therefrom what would conduce to the well-being of his own subjects. His popularity, as that of his wife and offspring, was great, and the tidings of the trouble come as a surprise to all who had any acquaintance with the condition of affairs in the leading empire of South America.

Dom Pedro's reign has been since 1848—when troubles of ten years' continuance in the province of Rio Grande were suppressed—one of peace and prosperity. Beloved of his subjects and studying their welfare, he has been able to devote himself uninterruptedly to the development of his kingdom. And yet the population of Brazil is greatly mixed, there being probably as many types and races as in the governments of Austria or Turkey. Still such was the affection his people had for him that he has for forty years been able to hold all these varying forces well in hand. The liberal spirit he has ever displayed, with his persistent efforts to advance his people in every direction, makes the more extraordinary the present disturbance.

BRAZIL'S ENORMOUS TERRITORY.

A Country of Many Tribes, Rich in Precious Stones and Luxuriant Vegetation.

In extent of territory Brazil is nearly as large as Europe, comprising upward of 3,288,000 English miles. The greatest river of the globe, the Amazon, affords with its tributaries over 30,000 miles of free navigation in Brazilian territory. The metallic and mineral products of the country are various. Brazil has always been noted for its richness in diamonds and other gems, and the fields from which they are taken are the most extensive known. Except on the loftiest mountains, the vegetation is luxuriant beyond description. The forests of the country contain almost every species of useful and ornamental wood. The varieties of animated life are more numerous perhaps than in any other region of the world. Brazil was discovered in 1499 by Vincent Yanez Pincon, a companion of Columbus. He took possession of the country in the name of the Spanish government, but the next year the country was declared an apanage of Portugal by Pedro Alvarez Cabral. The Spanish neglected the country, and the first attempt on the part of the Portuguese at colonization was the founding of a hereditary captaincy in the province of Paulo. Considerably later a college was established by Nabrega. The French and Dutch both attempted to make settlements, but with poor success, and the Portuguese governed almost undisturbed. Indirectly the fate of this isolated colony was decided by the French revolution and Brazil is the only instance of a colony becoming the seat of government of the mother country. This was brought about by Napoleon, who induced Dom Joas VI. to seek refuge there. The population of Brazil is something over 10,000,000, and presents a number of distinct types. The aboriginal Indians of the country have to a large extent become amalgamated with the settled population in the maritime provinces, but in the forests they remain still in a savage condition. These tribes, scattered over the vast interior, are countless, and though they may vary in language and customs, are all of the original stock, the Tupi-Guarani. The African negro, introduced in immense numbers, forms a large portion of the population. The Brazilian Creoles, who call themselves Brazileiros, are little inferior in capacity, strength or intellect to the pure race of Portuguese. An increase of population being necessary to the growth of the country has of late years induced a wonderful immigration of European colonists. In Brazil there is no privileged aristocracy, but descent from noble Portuguese families and length of service in the country give rise to claims which are readily admitted. The Roman Catholic is the established religion of the country. All others are tolerated, but must be practiced privately. Primary and public schools, supported by the state, have been established throughout the empire. Besides these there is a second or higher grade of schools, in which are taught the sciences, mathematics, and German, French and English. The Dom Pedro Imperial College has a faculty of twenty-two professors. Extensive libraries are attached to all the schools and colleges. The Brazilians are in general hospitable and generous, and endowed with great pride. Brazil is not by any means a manufacturing country, but its commerce, especially of late years, has been uniformly progressive.

THE GREAT EXPLORER.

Stanley and Emin Slowly Moving Toward the East Coast.

BERLIN, Nov. 20.—The *Reichs Anzeiger* publishes a dispatch from Captain Weissman, dated October 13, saying that four of Stanley's soldiers and one of Emin's men had arrived there. They left Stanley at Neukmma, August 10. Emin and Casati had with them 300 Soudanese soldiers and a large number of people conveying a great quantity of ivory. Stanley was bringing 240 Zanzibars and six lieutenants. Barring an unforeseen accident the expedition should reach Mpwapa November 20. Both Emin and Stanley had frequent battles with parties of Mahdists, and were uniformly victorious.

LATER NEWS.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Captain Wissmann telegraphs that Henry M. Stanley arrived at Mpwapo November 10.

THE ALL-AMERICAN CONGRESS.

Some Progress Made in Effecting an Organization.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—The session of the international American conference to-day was devoted entirely to efforts to perfect the organization, and some progress was made in that direction. The report of the committee on credentials was presented, and the delegates were seated. The report of the committee on rules was laid before the conference. After considerable discussion upon the report, and without coming to any conclusion Secretary Blaine, to facilitate the transaction of business, suggested that the report be postponed until Friday, and this action was taken. Senor Chientano, of the Argentine republic, then called up his resolution providing for the appointment of two secretaries, who were described by the presiding officer as English-Spanish and Spanish-English secretaries. Before the matter could be passed upon, Senor Romero, of Mexico, called up the report of the committee on committees. Pending its consideration, the question came up as to how the chair was to be filled in Mr. Blaine's absence. After a long discussion it was decided to select a president pro tem. The names of the countries represented were written on cards, which, after being carefully mixed were drawn out in the following order: Hayti, Nicaragua, Peru, Guatemala, Uruguay, Colombia, Argentine, Costa Rica, Paraguay, Brazil, Honduras, Mexico, Bolivia, the United States, Venezuela, Chili, Salvador, Ecuador. The representatives to be selected by the delegations from these countries will take turns in filling the chair in Mr. Blaine's absence. The report of the committee on committees went over.

Consumption avoided by checking colds with Kidd's Cough Syrup; at all druggists.

TO SAVE THEIR NECKS.

Cronin Conspirators Trying to Prove an Alibi.

THE STATE'S ATTORNEY A WITNESS

Members of Camp 20 Disclaim a Knowledge of the Inner Circle—The Conspirators Making Slow Progress.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Testimony to prove alibis for the defendants in the Cronin case was resumed this morning. Mrs. Thomas Whalen, who keeps house for O'Sullivan, and her sister, Kate McCormick, who spent the night of the murder at O'Sullivan's house, corroborated the evidence of former witnesses that O'Sullivan was in the house all the time that night. They were awake till 1 o'clock in the morning and he was still there. Mrs. Whalen said she was present when Clancy, of the New York *Herald* wanted O'Sullivan to go and see Cronin's body. O'Sullivan refused because he didn't know Clancy, but said he would go if a policeman asked him to.

Matt Danahy, a saloonkeeper, testified that Martin Burke was in his saloon from 7 to 10 on the evening of May 4. On cross-examination the fact was developed that witness was a member of Camp 20. He admitted that he had been supplying Burke's meals to him and that he visited Winnipeg some time ago for the purpose of "looking around." He denied ever having sent money to Burke at Winnipeg, denied ever having called Cronin a spy or having used any other opprobrious epithet. He admitted that he was treasurer of the prisoners' defense fund and was active in raising money.

W. J. Coughlin, a saloonkeeper, corroborated Danahy's testimony about Burke being in the latter's saloon that night.

At the afternoon session, John O'Malley, a clerk in a North town assessor's office, corroborated Danahy's evidence as to Burke.

James Lyman, a citizen contractor and a member of Camp 20, told of the meeting of February 8, when a committee was appointed to investigate the statement that the report of the Buffalo trial committee had been prematurely made public in Cronin's camp. Witness said that after the resolution was adopted the matter was reconsidered and referred to District Officer Spellman, of Peoria.

Ex-Congressman John A. Finerty said that he was a member of Camp 20. He had never heard of an "inner circle" in it.

Several other witnesses were examined in regard to the "inner circle," but none of them knew anything about it.

State's Attorney Longenecker was then called to the witness stand on behalf of defendant Beggs. He objected, but after a brief argument the court ordered the examination to proceed. In reply to questions, the state's attorney said he had heard Beggs's testimony before the coroner's jury, and had subsequently caused Beggs to be brought before the grand jury. When Mr. Foster asked him if he had examined Beggs before the grand jury, Mr. Mills, of the counsel for the state, objected. In reply to the query of the court as to what he meant by this line of examination, Foster said: "I mean to show that Beggs voluntarily told the state's attorney before the grand jury in regard to this Cronin correspondence and the action of Camp 20 in this matter. I further offer to prove that after that examination, and in pursuance of what Beggs stated under oath, Spellman was subpenaed as a witness before the grand jury and interrogated, and furnished the letters Beggs had written him, in pursuance of the voluntary statement of Beggs in this matter to Longenecker."

The court said that Foster was entitled to get that before the jury, but he had not asked the state's attorney if he was not willing to await that fact before being put on the stand. The examination then proceeded. The examination developed the fact that Beggs told the state's attorney of the correspondence between the defendant and Spellman, and that in pursuance of that information the state's attorney caused Spellman to be examined and subpenaed to produce the letters he had written to Beggs up to the time of the information. The state's attorney did not say Beggs had written any letters to Spellman. Foster then asked if the testimony of Beggs before the grand jury was not the first information the state's attorney had had that there had been such a correspondence. Judge Longnecker said that this question was putting words in his mouth, and he would not answer it, but he finally said that Beggs said that there were letters that would explain the whole thing, or something to that effect. The letters were written to Spellman, and the replies were to explain the secret committee arrangement. The state's attorney further admitted, in reply to a question, that Beggs wanted him to obtain these letters.

Chief of Police Hubbard was called, and admitted that after Beggs's arrest they had had a conversation regarding the Spellman correspondence, and that Beggs had directed him where in his (Beggs's) desk to find the letters which he wished taken to Judge Longnecker.

Adjourned.

THE NICARAGUA CANAL.

The Preliminary Work Proceeding as Rapidly as Possible.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—C. P. Treat, a large stockholder in the Nicaragua Canal Company, who is now here says: "I have just received news from Nicaragua, that the preparatory work on the canal is being pushed as rapidly as is possible. The first trouble with which we met, is the difficulty in landing ships at Greytown. We are working with every energy and are now building breakwater and docks. The contract for the construction of a canal from the Caribbean sea to dock No. 1, is to be let in a few days. Nicaragua and Costa Rica are not likely to endanger the construction of the canal. There is no trouble between the countries and the relations of the canal company with Nicaragua are most cordial.

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

Of the Ratification by North Carolina of the Federal Constitution.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Nov. 20.—The centennial celebration of the ratification by North Carolina of the Federal constitution began to-day. Great crowds were in the city and the decorations were profuse, the national colors predominating. Governor Fowle made a patriotic speech, paying a glowing tribute to the constitution, as by far the best model of a civil government ever devised. Speaking to the ex-Confederate soldiers present, he told them to cherish the recollections of their soldier life and to be able to show to the world, if the occasion ever arose, that they are able to surpass the record already made then in behalf of the flag of this united country.

Jurisdiction Over "No Man's Land."

TOPEKA, Kas., Nov. 20.—Judge Foster, in the case of the Stevens county murderers, decided that the district court for the eastern district of Texas has jurisdiction over "No Man's Land," where the crimes for which they were indicted recently by the grand jury at Paris, Tex., were committed.

A Dual Title.

It isn't often that a man is president and king at the same time, but Mr. King is president of the Erie railways Spe. King of railw ys, every traveler knows also of the Travelers Insurance Co. Mr. A. E. Kaufman is agent for that company, and is stationed at Lancaster, Pa. He said recently: "Dr. Tutt's Liver Pills are an excellent remedy." People in every walk of life say the same thing.

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A CARD.

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A. L. COLE, M. D., Chief Surgeon.
132 and 134 Third st.

BONDS FOR SALE.

The City of Independence will sell its bonds, amounting to $3000, and is now ready to entertain bids for the same. Offers will be received up to Nov. 25, 1889, upon the following conditions:

First—There will be issued six bonds of the denomination of $500 each.

Second—Said bonds will draw 6 per cent interest, and interest is to be paid semi-annually, on the first of June and December of each year.

Parties may bid for the whole or part thereof. The city reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. B. JOHNSON, City Recorder.

Independence, Or., Oct. 30, 1889.

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The Oregonian.
PORTLAND, THURSDAY, NOV. 21.

mong the bequests of John Crerar to the of Chicago was the sum of $100,000 for a e of Abraham Lincoln.

he citizens of Lebanon have subscribed 0 as a subsidy for the erection of a paper t that town. Lebanon, in common all other towns of the Willamette val- is having a steady and substantial th.

is reported in St. Helens, on good au- city, that a timber "locator" from Port- is exhibiting to his victims lands that e been filed on in the vicinity of Clats- ie, and giving them numbers of land sit- d in Clatsop county.

he initial number of the Stayton *Sun* has n received. It is a five-column folio and nises to grow. It starts with the avowed ention of booming the Santiam valley and th Marion county, and of raking in all timber land notices in that neck of the ods.

band of 2300 sheep recently arrived in ie county from Eastern Oregon. They distributed in the Willamette valley ere feed for wintering stock is more ndant than in some sections of Eastern egon, where the drouth was most severe ring last summer.

The editor of the Washington *Independent* not to be trifled with. He says: Let those ows who owe this office remember they be pulled when they undertake to leave county before settling such accounts. fetched one to time last week just before boarded the train.

Current reports say that two inches of w fell at Prineville Wednesday and that was still snowing in the mountains Thurs- . Three years ago there was several hes of snow on the high peaks in Crook nty. The state of the atmosphere in the llamette valley gives credence to the re- rt.

A city of the size and importance of As- ia should have better educational facili- es. As it now exists, says the *Pioneer*, a ung man or woman who may desire to go ve the grammar school grades is com- lled to go to Portland; as the schools of s city do not teach above the grammar ade.

There is in Umatilla county a human ak that is a great curiosity. It is an In- n child of the Nez Perces tribe, with but e eye, situated in the center of the fore- ad like those of the fabled cyclops. The ld, it is said, is able to see with ease, and about with as much freedom as any of companions.

The Vancouver, Wash., *Register* says: The ngest judge in the new state was elected the same day that he celebrated his 27th thday. His name is J. R. Winn, and he a democrat. He was elected supreme dge of the district embracing Snohomish, git and Whatcom counties. His major- was only twenty-four.

It is reported in the Crook county papers at horses in that vicinity are not gen- lly in good condition. Quite a number being brought over to winter in the Will- ette valley. They are not, as a rule, fit market until they have fattened on the sh green grass that is growing so luxur- tly since the fall rains began.

Captain J. W. White, of Oakland, Cala., perintendent of construction of life sav- g stations on this coast, has just inspected e new life saving station at Ft. Stevens, et completed by W. B. Headington. He und everything all satisfactory, and as on as a little grading is finished, which s been delayed by the showers, the work ll be formally accepted.

Some time ago a man wanted to get a lot Spokane Falls, to build a house to start a siness in. The owner asked him $21,000. Do you want to freeze me out, to keep me om getting in here?" he asked. "That's hat it is worth," was the answer. He ught the lot, intending to build on it later . Last week he sold it for $65,000. Now e is looking for another lot.

Messrs. Robert Clow, J. P. Faull and C. Colvig, constituting the state board of ilroad commissioners, accompanied by eorge A. Waggoner, clerk, have just turned from a trip to Southern Oregon, aving been furnished with a special train y the Southern Pacific. They were accom- anied by vice-President Koehler, General uperintendent Brandt and Mr. William A. rondahl, superintendent of the bridge and uilding department. The road was spected as far south as Ashland. The oad is said to be in excellent condition.

A commercial traveler was consigned to e insane asylum a few days ago, whose fe is in the Stockton asylum. The signifi- ant term "domestic difficulties" indicates ie cause of their unbalanced mental condi- on. It seems strange that any human eings, with the wide world before them, ill hang together and multiply "difficulties" the extent that these people seem to have one. A Catholic archbishop could scarcely epict divorce in terms as significant of isery as the fate of these people have roved the continuance of a discordant mar- age relation to be.

A committee has been appointed by the istoria Chamber of Commerce to circulate mong the citizens and see if they are will- g to give $5000 as a bonus for the erection f a flour mill in that city, with a capacity of 25 barrels a day. The *Pioneer* says: "There no question but that the bonus of $5000 an be raised, and very quickly, too. No esitancy should be allowed in raising that mount, as with a trifling effort the sum can e secured inside of a day. A flouring mill ill be a big start in the direction of secur- g other needed enterprises, and we should y all means secure it at once."

When the fire was devastating the timber n Idaho last summer, Governor Shoup laced $150 at the disposal of the town of ailey, for the purpose of fighting the flames. he amount was sent to the First National ank, Governor Shoup accompanying it ith a request that proper vouchers be sent im for the amounts paid out, to enable him o get the money refunded by the secretary f the interior. Only about $75 was expend- d in guarding the town, most of the work aving been done by volunteers. That mount was paid by the Board of Trade out f its own funds, it being deemed unjust that overnor Shoup should be deprived of the se of his money until he could obtain it om Washington. The draft which he re- itted to the bank was therefore returned, ith thanks.

The "Times's" Last Dividend.
From a London Correspondent.

The last quarterly payment to the propri- ors of the *Times* amounted to one-quarter f the dividend which they had been in the abit of receiving for the same period before ecsitating of the special commission. This s an improvement on the two preceding narters, when the proprietors received no vidend at all; but there is still a great deal f discontent among them as to the action f the conductors of the paper in bringing to such a lamentable financial condition.

Beecham's Pills act like magic on a weak stomach

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MARRIAGE OF FIRST COUSINS.

Their Offspring a Hopeless Idiot—A Sad Story of Real Life.

Two years ago in Washington, says the *Capital*, of that city, were married a young man and a young woman, who bore to each other the relationship of "full" or "first" cousins. They were of excellent family, and the bride was quite a beauty. There were weighty financial reasons for the marriage. The ceremony was solemnized in the flower-decked parlors of the bride's home just two years ago this present month. The young couple made their home in this city with the bride's parents, and the young husband tried to increase his already comfortable fortune by real estate speculations. Things went on fairly for a year, and a girl baby came to the young people. It was an ordinary-looking sort of a baby—its grandmother said it was the handsomest that ever was—but as its days of age grew into weeks it was noticed not to seem to see anything. Nor would any sound, from its pretty mother's cooing to the loudest sort of a noise, elicit even the slightest sign of consciousness from the wee bit of humanity. It never rolled its eyes and scarcely slept at all. Then the old doctor was consulted, and after speaking of the relationship of the father and mother, he said that the baby had no mind; that it was an absolute "natural," a hopeless idiot. This was a death blow to what of love there had been between the father and mother of the idiot girl baby. They both traveled, but not together. The mother went to Europe, and the father, after traveling a month or so in this country, went back to his real estate speculations. He lost money at every turn, and also got to be a gambler. Now he is a penniless drunkard. His relatives keep him clothed and pay his board, and he spends his time trying to borrow money. The mother has returned from Europe, and is living openly and shamefully with an ex-politician and gambler in New York city—or she was until recently; her infidelities displeased even the gambler, and he put her out of doors. She has plenty of money furnished her by the family, on condition that she stays away from Washington.

Some African Politics.
Boston Transcript.

After all the competition of the great powers for choice cuts from the African continent, Italy quietly takes the best, getting Abyssinia. The Italian protectorate over that country gives Italy possession of one of the most productive countries in the world, peopled by a race which has made a closer approach to what we call civilization than most of the other of the native races of Africa. Abyssinia is a Christian country, keeping up the tradition and worship of the old Coptic church. Soil, climate, and the conditions of the people are favorable to the development of a new Italy in Abyssinia. To turn the tide of immigration Africaward will without doubt be the task to which Italian statesmanship will address itself. The establishment of the protectorate is very creditable to Italian diplomacy, but must cause unpleasant surprise in Paris. With Germany for an ally, Italy can afford to be indifferent to French public sentiment—in fact, displays a disposition to carry on a chip on its own shoulder, and thrust that shoulder forward to France in a way to grieve the lovers of peace.

It Leavened Cleveland.
Philadelphia Press.

Ex-President Cleveland reports his remark with respect to the recent democratic victories that "the leaven of tariff reform has leavened the whole lump." Certain it is that it has leavened Mr. Cleveland. It has leveled him, also.

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MEETING NOTICES.

YOUNG MEN'S INSTITUTE No. 56.—Attendent Your are requested to be present at four hall to-night at 8 o'clock. Business of importance will be transacted. FRANK D. HENNESSY, Cor. Sec. DANIEL R. MURPHY, Pres. 9

BORN.

At La Grande, Nov. 1, to the wife of Joseph Palmer, a son.

DIED.

At Mt. Tabor, Or., Nov. 20th, John W. M. Cook. Born at The Dalles, Or., Aug. 21, 1886. The funeral will take place from his late residence, on Burnside, at 10 A. M., Saturday, Nov. 23. Friends invited to attend. Services private. Boston, Mass., and San Francisco, Cal., papers please copy. 24n2

At La Grande, Nov. 19th, Fannie Smalley, wife of Joseph Palmer, aged 27 years. San Francisco Call and Chronicle copy.

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FOR RENT—A BEAUTIFULLY-FURNISHED front bay-window room, gas and bath, at 181 Yamhill st., cor. West Park; references. 21m1-3*

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R. A. ANDERSON, WHOLESALE CANDY manufactorer, No. 324 First st., bet. Clay and Market. Country orders solicited. Telephone 412. *

AN EXPERIENCED LADY STENOGRAPHER and typewriter desires position in office; can give references. Address F. A., care Oregonian. 20n1*

THE LADY WHO LEFT THE ELEGANT parasol at the Misses Rosenthal's can have the same by calling at their parlors, 163 Fourth st., near Morrison.

FOR RENT—FOUR BLOCKS FROM POST office, in private family, large, newly-furnished room, with all conveniences. Address Y. A., care Oregonian.

A DESIRABLE RESIDENCE LOT ON SEVenth st., Holladay's addition, can be bought cheap for cash or on time. W. W. RUTCHINSON, room 3, Strowbridge Building. 14n1f*

FOR RENT CHEAP—LARGE BUILDING NEAR First and Glisan sts., suitable for factory, with or without power. Apply to owner, W. M. Gregory, Portland Savings Bank building. 30o1f*

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, 5000 MEN women and children to call at Wonderland Cafe, 49 Morrison st., and see baby Lillian, the child born without eyes, first one on record. 19n3*

TAKE NOTICE—SCHOOL TAXES OF DISTRICT No. 34, Albina, are now due. Property owners are notified to pay the same before delinquent, and save expenses. T. W. Blinck, School Clerk. Office, cor. Russell and Williams ave., Albina. 19n1w-r

THE RED-HEADED GIRL AND THE WHITE horse is an exploded fallacy, but the red-headed girl can be found every day at 168 Fourth st. having her hair dressed in the most approved style by the Rosenthal Sisters at their hair-dressing parlors.

ALBINA IS THE LEAD—IF YOU WANT TO buy fine residence lots in Albina at bed-rock prices in the original townsite, or any of the additions, on small cash payment and easy installments, call on or address JOHN M. PITTENGER, 114 First st., Portland. 19n4r

FOR RENT—THE MAGNIFICENT H BLOCK owned by Smith & Woodward, on Washington st., is now ready for occupancy. Suites and single rooms desired, suitable for lawyers, real estate men, doctors, etc., can be obtained at reasonable figures. Call early at the office of CHAS. HIRSTEL, Agent, 2½ Washington.

DO YOU WISH TO STEP INTO A WELLestablished mercantile business, where you will make money from the first day without paying a bonus? Is located in one of the thriftiest towns in Willamette valley. Reliable customers. Terms easy. A rare chance. Best of reasons for selling. Call on WEST & STEARNS, 12 Stark st. o27tf*†

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Prescription Druggist, 3d and Morrison. Telephone 499. Orders by mail receive prompt attention.

"SEE PLATO" daily in every class.

WEBB'S BOSS SAFES. Front st.

STAND UP CARAMELS AT STAPLES'. They can not be equaled. 140 Third street.

GAS FIXTURES—NEW AND LATE designs. JOHNSON & LA WHENCE, 145 Front st. 14n2f

SAFES—SIX SECOND-HAND SAFES, good as new. JAMES DIGG, 228½ First st. 20n2*

BUFFALO SCALES R. S. STAND and Air Kinds, 149 Front st., opp. Esmond Hotel. 1m1*

THAT CIGAR YOU NEVER GOT AT Stowe's Store, opposite the Oregonian, keeps the best cigars in the city.

REVERE HOUSE—COR. THIRD AND Stark sts. Transients and boarders; rooms and board. Single meals 25c. 21m1f-tu-th-s1f

CABLE—WHILE WAITING, CALL AND see the beautiful designs in wall paper at SCHOFIELD & MORGAN'S, 87 Washington st.

WATER FRONT LOTS, BLOCKS AND acres in PORTTOWNSEND. Peter French & Co., Gilman House. 10n7*

TO LOAN—MONEY ON HOUSEHOLD FURNIture and all kinds of personal property. Notes discounted. FRAME & STOWELL, 133½ First st.

WOOD ENGRAVING — THE LEWIS Printing and Lithographing Co., First and Stark sts.

ELECTROTYPING AND STEREOtyping; first-class work; lowest prices. PALMER & REY, cor. Front and Alder sts. 1m6f

BUSINESS COR. LOT IN CENTER of Lents will sell away down for cash. T. A. SHANE, 48½ Washington st. 20n6*

NEW RESTAURANT — D. R. SIMmons, of the old Stark-st. restaurant, has just opened a new restaurant at 131 Fourth st.

MONEY TO LOAN AT 6 PER CENT interest, on life securities of improved city property. Apply to E. V. ANDREWS & CO., 25 Pine st. 12n6*

FOR RENT ON THE 1st OF DECEMBER, that choice store-room, situate at No. 8, cor. of Front and Alder sts., city. Inquire for terms at room 8, over Oregon National Bank.

ON G STREET, BET. 22D AND 23d, Sea High and sightly, for sale at a bargain. CARR & GOLDSMITH, S. W. cor. First and Washington sts.

WOOD OF ALL KINDS AT THE Pioneer Wood Yard, foot of Morrison st. Telephone 189. MOORE & SPARR.

For TRUNKS and SATCHELS Go to S. HARRIS & CO., 49 1st st.

I PAINT ANY KIND OF SIGNS LOUIS B. AKIN, 107 Second st.

COAL—THE ONLY PLACE IN THE city where a full supply of all kinds of small and large wood is kept, at Eaton Fuel Co.'s, yard seventh and H. Telephone 65. 17n4f

COAL—KEEP YOUR "BEAGLE HILL" on G. P. Tompkins. Coal at the lowest rate. Office at Occidental Hotel, cor. First and Morrison sts. Prompt delivery every time. Telephone 678. 14n1f

$50 BUYS A LOT ON PALATINE HILL; $5 down, $2.50 a month. Front and Corbett st. motor being rapidly pushed to property. EMPIRE LAND COMPANY, 74 Morrison st. 2n10

DRY WOOD—POLE OAK, ALL sizes, ash and fir; 50c for sawing. Telephone No. 181, yard North Fourth and Front. BIGGOTT & BROWN. 16n1f

IMPORTED SWISS CHEESE, CREAM, Limburger and Roquefort Cheese, German Pickles, Kingsmackie Herrings, Kosher Smoked Meats, Tongues, Sausages, Fancy Delicacies and Groceries. MRS. M. BAUM, 86 Morrison st.

SACRIFICE — LOCATED QUARter block in South Portland, facing east and north, 2 blocks east of the Home; price $3750. CARR & GOLDSMITH, S. W. cor. First and Washington sts. 1*

FURNISHED ROOMS.

Beautifully located well kept rooms for rent, single or en suite; use of free, gas and baths; everything new, prices reasonable; can accommodate 6 gentlemen. Inquire of Long & Elkins, 24 Washington st. 4

$3,750—100x100 FT. FACING EAST, on Fourth st., Holladay's addition; street improved. This price holds good for 7 days only, and intending buyers will do well to investigate. C. E. MOOREY & CO., 102½ First st. 21n3*

Fare Refunded TO THE PENINSULAR Addition, where lots are selling for $100, on the installment plan. SHERMAN D. BROWN, 18 Morrison st.

15 ACRES 3½ MILES SOUTH OF Mt. Tabor, all level land, good soil, facing county road; price $100 per acre; terms half cash; a bargain at $150 per acre. CARR & GOLDSMITH, S. W. cor. First and Washington. 1*

FRUIT FARM FOR SALE AT A BARgain; 25 acres, beautifully located, with good dwelling and other outhouses; all under fence; running water all the year; situated in one of the best fruit districts in Oregon; price $1800. Inquire of E. W. Allen, 173 Second st., Portland, or Jesse Holmes, Newberg, Or. 7*

LADIES' Ready-Made Suits. See our No 9 by, Perfect-Fitting, All-Wool Cloth Suits for $15.50. D. PORTER & CO., 147 Third st.

BUSINESS IN PORT TOWNSEND

For sale—A chance in a lifetime to step right in a well-established business; only those meaning business need apply. 30 Ash st. 1*

IMMENSE BARGAINS.

A few choice lots left in Patterson's tract on Installments; all cleared. WATSON & CO., 2 Stark st.

RARE BARGAIN—100x100, 14-ROOM HOUSE, new; elegantly furnished. Price $12,000. L. B. THOMPSON & CO., 22 Oak st. 6n8tf

PORT TOWNSEND.

Five, 10, 15, 20, 40 and 80-acre tracts for sale, ranging in price from $60 per acre up. Half cash. We sell only in choice locations, where buyers are certain of a quick advance. Also lots well located and cheap. Long & Elkins, 24 Washington st. 21n3*

POOR ECONOMY

To burn steam coals, either Australian or domestic, when you can get good Wallsend household coal at almost the same price and much cheaper in the end, from GEORGE S. CLARK & CO., Fourth and E. Telephone 251. 15o1f*†

PORT TOWNSEND.

We can offer to-day the best bargains in Port Townsend property ever offered in Portland. Have just returned from this growing city, and have been on every piece of land we offer, and can give reliable information. HUGHES, BROWN & CO., 80 Ash st.*

THE BEST PORT TOWNSEND BUY

Ever offered in Portland can be secured at the office of Hughes, Brown & Co., 30 Ash st., until the 30th, unless sooner taken. Inside residence and business property. Straight commission, no margins; must be and will be sold. Special. Call for Gen. H. Brown, of Hughes, Brown & Co., 30 Ash st. 1*

ROYAL GERVETUER

Is the surest blood purifier known to humanity; also cures catarrh, rheumatism, female complaints, dyspepsia, loss of manhood and gonorrhœa. Price 75 cents and $1.25. Give it a trial for your blood. Woodard, Clarke & Co., and all druggists. 19o2tf

SOUTHERN PORTLAND.

Choice lots for sale on easy terms. Second-street electric cars will pass it running; then prices are sure to advance; buy now. Have nice level lots in Riverside addition to Albina; lots and streets already cleared. These lots are cheap and on easy terms, and near street railways. LONG & ELKINS, 24 Washington st. 21n2*

Quarter :: Block

(145x145) in Froebstel's addition, Albina, on improved street facing west, commanding magnificent view, one block from electric motor line; price $3500; this is the only eighty adjoining block in or around Albina; sell in a bargain at $4000. CARR & GOLDSMITH, S. W. cor. First and Washington sts. 1*

ASTORIA.

Lots in North Addition to East Astoria have advanced to $60 each; very few left. This is a good and safe investment; will double up in value within six months. Astoria will be a railroad center in the very near future. Agents at Portland, Watson, Smith & Co., No 6 Stark st. 19n5*

ART NEEDLE WORK.

Miss Vail, the needle artist from Chicago, has the finest display of embroidery ever brought to the city. Now is the time to make your selection and have your orders for the holidays. Stamping done to order. Material for sale and lessons given. Room A, Alpine Flat, Morrison and Fourth streets.

CHOICE BUSINESS PROPERTY, THIRD ST., improved; quarter block; a bargain. L. B. THOMPSON & CO., 20o1* 22 Oak street.

TWO COTTAGES.

We have two brand new cottages for sale that will pay over 20 per cent clear on the investment, and in a location where they will always rent. LONG & ELKINS, 24 Washington st. 21n2*

GOOD INVESTMENTS.

Two lots in Southern Portland, for $1000.

Two lots near cable road (now actually building), improved, $3500.

A fine building quarter in Couch, $6250.

For any kind of real property, city or suburban, call on

BORTHWICK & RATTY,
2 Washington Street, cor. Front.

SEVENTH + STREET TERRACES.

This choice city property is now selling at fair prices and residences will rise rapidly. Judge for yourselves as to the superb scenery and enjoy it in a home above the reach of typhoid and malaria. Terms to suit buyer's means. Call on the agents, F. V. Andrews & Co., 25 Pine street.

80 ACRES $120.

The Portland City Real Estate Association is selling 80S lots in a "pool" at $120 per lot—$10 down and $10 per month; no interest. Of these 800 lots, 600 of them are West Portland, 60x100 ft. lots (two miles from river front, with motor line under construction) and 8 of them are 80-acre "timber farms," worth now from $2000 to $4000 each. You get one of these 80S lots. Every one has an equal chance of getting 80 acres, as division will be by lot. If you have a mind to get a heap of make and a money, now is the time to buy. Prices advance positively in 30 days. Call at the office and secure a hand at once. Don't wait until prices go up and then get in a row with yourself for neglecting. Address T. A. WOOD, room 1, 1 to 6, 9, 10 Temple. 13n3*

THE RUSH!

Is now to Southern Oregon. $500,000 has been appropriated for improvement of Coos bay; and $200,000 for Coquille river. Transcontinental railroad assured. We have land at these places for $2.50 an acre, pronounced by experts to be fully equal to the waterfall district and farm lands of Northern California, worth from $50 to $100 an acre. Also fruit lands in Douglas county, adjacent to the marvelous discoveries of gold, quicksilver, coal and marble. (See Legh Harnett, in recent Sunday Oregonian); 160,000 acres in Eastern Oregon at $1.50 an acre. All on easy terms.

LEACH & KING.
Room 18, Deknm's Building. 20n6tf

OREGON'S

PEERLESS LANDS

$2 PER ACRE $2

EASY TERMS

EMPIRE LAND CO., 74 Morrison st.

LOTS $100 SUNRISE :: PARK Mount Tabor.

$20 down, $10 month, no interest. All cleared & fenced. Few blocks from terminus of N street motor. RAYMOND & WAGNER, 1207 Fourth St., East Portland.

HOLLADAY'S ADD.

We have two choice 5-acre blocks in this addition way below the market price. LONG & ELKINS, 24 Washington st. 21n2*

$275 PER ACRE FOR 20 ACRES.

Two and one-half miles from the southwest boundary of the city, on the O. & C. R. R., a very desirable buy, for sale for a few days only, by P. T. STROBLE, No. 6½ Washington street. 21n2r

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HELP WANTED—Male.

WANTED—OFFICE BOY, ROOM 23, SECOND floor Abington building. Call bet. 1 and 3 P. M.

I WANTED—TO LEASE PHOTO ENGRAVING plant in full operation; must be cheap for cash; the most desirable chance in existence; only a big price will be paid; steady trade now established; will be with steady hands after lease; second and Yamhill; need apply. West shore office, Second and Yamhill.

TWO GOOD FRAME MAKERS WANTED FOR Ballou, Cole & Co., Seattle, Wash.; steady employment and good wages guaranteed to right parties.

WANTED—IN 10 DAYS, NO 1 SAWYER FOR hardwood mill, one that can also keep mill in order; steady job, good pay. Address Hardwood Sawyer, care Oregonian. 19n7

DETECTIVES WANTED IN EVERY COUNTY. Spare men to act under instructions in our secret service; experience not necessary; send 2-cent stamp; service explained. Address, Chief, Cincinnati, O. Grannan Detective Bureau Co., Arcade, Cincinnati, O.

WANTED—MAN TO SELL LINE OF CIGARS; salary and expenses. Address, with stamp, Florida Cigar Co., 22 North Fourth st., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—2 TINNERS, STEADY EMPLOYment, winter's job and good wages. DAVID GOLE & CO., 192 First st. 13n1f

WANTED—SOLICITORS FOR OUR NEW book, by a world-renowned author. An agent made $67 in four hours. Other agents are making as high as $200 per week. B. B., Oregonian office. 17n5

WANTED—A LADY OR GENTLEMAN IN every county to represent a manufacturer. $65 to $80 per month. D 55, Oregonian office. 17n5

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS PLUMBER. GAS and steam fitter; steady employment. Apply to L. H. Buddenser, 186 Third st. 2n1

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED HARNESS maker. Apply at Smith & Allen's real estate office, Jefferson. Oregon. 20n3

WANTED — EXPERIENCED TOPOGRAPHical draughtsman and head letterer; a Swede or German preferred; state former positions and historical. Address A. S., care Oregonian. 15n9

WANTED—AT ONCE, 10 LIVE, ENERGETIC and responsible men to work for nonsinking concern; steady and easy to handle; big pay. Insurance solicitors and book canvassers preferred. Apply at room 1, Green's building, cor First and Alder sts., office, 9 A. M. 30o1f

HELP WANTED—Female.

GIRL WANTED FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Call at 233 Market, cor. 10th st.

WANTED — GIRL FOR HOUSEWORK, 273 Eleventh st., cor. Jefferson. 21n2

WANTED — GIRL FOR HOUSEKEEPING. Apply after 1 P. M., 194 Yamhill. 20n2

WANTED—A GOOD GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework in small family. Apply No. 11 Hancock st. 1

WANTED — GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEwork; must be a good cook. Call at 215 Seventh.

WANTED—A GOOD COOK. INQUIRE S. E. cor. 21st and E sts. 21n2

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEwork in a small family. Inquire 50 S. Third st.

WANTED—WAITRESS, AT ST. GEORGE restaurant, First and Columbia sts. 20n2

WANTED—YOUNG GERMAN GIRL TO TAKE care of baby. Call between 9 and 1 o'clock, 375 West Park and Montgomery. 19n3

A GOOD ASSISTANT WOMAN COOK WANTED at the Villard Restaurant, 89 Morrison st., bet. Fourth and Fifth. 20n2

WANTED—GIRLS TO DO DINING-ROOM AND chamber work at Berry's Hotel, cor. 3d and Pine.

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Apply at No. 156 N. Twelfth, cor. Hoyt.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED—Male.

SITUATION AS HEAD WAITER—CAN FURnish recommendation. Address K. L., Oregonian.

WANTED—A RELIABLE MAN OF 28 WANTS a situation in office or store; is fond of references. Address A. C., East Portland, P. O. box 208. 21n3

SITUATION REQUIRED IN A WHOLESALE warehouse, by an active man, not afraid of work; good references. Address R. E., Merchants' Hotel, Portland. 20n2

WANTED—A POSITION IN A REAL ESTATE office by a middle-aged man who is familiar with the business, and is also an experienced abstractor. Address J. W., care Oregonian. 19n3

A MAN WELL USED TO HANDLING ALL kinds of blasting powder desires employment in mining or blasting stumps. Address Alfred Howard, Pacific house. 19n3

WANTED—EMPLOYMENT BY A YOUNG MAN who speaks fair English, French, Italian and German. Address As care Oregonian. 19n3

EMPLOYMENT WANTED—Female.

WANTED—SITUATION TO DO SEWING; terms $1 a day. Inquire 32 S. Front st. 19n3

WANTED—SITUATION BY A MIDDLE-AGED experienced person; upstairs work and sewing. Address L., care Oregonian. 21n3

A COMPETENT WOMAN WISHES A SITUAtion as cook, or as nurse in any kind of sickness. 86 Caruthers st., bet. Fourth and Fifth. 1

WANTED—A SITUATION IN A SMALL FAMily, by or as companion with an elderly lady. Inquire 34 n. Front st., upstairs.

TWO GIRLS, SCANDINAVIAN; WANT SITUAtion to do general housework in small family. Inquire N. E. cor. Sixth and Caks. 20n2

WANTED—SITUATION TO DO HOUSEWORK or to take charge of home as housekeeper. Call or address 84 Second street. 1

A COMPETENT COLORED WOMAN WOULD like one or two children to board and care for; no objection to baby. Address S. F., care Oregonian.

MARRIED LADY WISHES SITUATION AS seamstress in cloak and suit house; rapid and neat worker, and easily learns any new mode of finishing. Address G. V. G., care Oregonian. 20n3

WANTED—A POSITION BY A LADY WHO has been forewoman of one of the best dress-making houses in New York city; or will work for families by the day. Address, Mrs. Dermot, Esmond Hotel. 21n2

WANTED—SITUATION BY A MIDDLE-AGED experienced person; upstairs work and sewing. Address A., care Oregonian. 17n3

WANTED—A SITUATION BY MIDDLE-AGED lady as housekeeper for some widower. Address R. T., care Oregonian. 30n2

AN EXPERIENCED DRESSMAKER WISHES engagements in private families by the day at $2 per day. Address J. M., box 213 East Portland. 15n7

WANTED—AGENTS.

AGENTS WANTED TO SOLICIT IN CITY AND outside towns $5, $5 and $8 per day. Something new. 87 Yamhill st. 19n1f

WANTED—TO MAKE THE ACQUAINTANCE of a working girl; have a nice home; age, 40. Object, matrimony. Address Geo. W., Oregonian. 3

GOOD SOLICITOR WANTED—MUST BE OF good character and come recommended by some banker; to solicit members for the Original Bankers' Life Association. Apply 7 Stark st. 21n7

AGENTS WANTED IN CITY AND COUNTRY for subscription books of the highest order; write or apply to D. Appleton & Co., 84 Second st., Portland, Or., or 300 Post st., San Francisco.

LADY AND GENTLEMAN AGENTS WANTED for the Pacific States Savings, Loan & Building Co., of San Francisco, California. Liberal terms. Choice of territory. As this is a home association, it offers greater inducements to investors and borrowers on this coast than any other association in the United States. D. A. Nicholson, General Agent, 310 First st.

GOOD AGENTS CAN MAKE MONEY SOLICiting stock for specific accident and life insurance combined, either in city or country. Apply for agency, Bankers' Mutual Life Association, 316 California st., San Francisco. 11n14

SALESMEN WANTED at once. A few good men to sell our goods by sample to the wholesale and retail trade. We are the largest manufacturers in our line in the world; liberal salary paid; permanent position; money advanced for wages, advertising, etc. For full terms address Centennial Mfg. Co., Chicago, Ill., or Cincinnati, O. 27n3m

WANTED—GENERAL AND SPECIAL AGENTS—The Union Central Life Insurance Company of Cincinnati desires to employ a few energetic general and special agents; to the right men who possess good records liberal contracts will be granted. The Life Rate Endowment Policy, which is non-forfeitable and incontestable as issued by the Union Central, is very popular and easy to work as shown by the rapidly increasing new business of the company. This insurance since 1881 has been over 550 per cent. The company enjoys the enviable distinction of having realized the highest interest rate and experienced the lowest death rate of any company in the United States for a continuous period. For 10 years past, interest income has more than paid all death losses and matured endowments. The policy contract is brief in form and liberal in its provisions. Assets $5,000,000. Call or address J. A. WILLIAMS, State Agent, room 45, Dobbe block, cor. Washington and Second sts. Portland, Or. 17n16

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

MUST LEAVE THE COUNTRY FOR WANT of two housekeeping rooms in healthy locality, furnished or unfurnished. If not, address New England, care Oregonian. 21n3

BONDS WANTED—A LARGE BLOCK OF BONDS can be sold if terms are reasonable. Give full particulars. W. G. STREET & CO., P. O. Box 770, or 143 Morrison st., Portland, Oregon. 20n7-1*

WANTED AT ONCE—FURNISHED OR UNfurnished rooms for housekeeping; small family. Address H. W., care Oregon House, 1st & Yamhill.

WANTED—EVERYBODY TO KNOW THAT there is nothing on earth like Fraser's famous stock and poultry food; horses, cows, pigs, sheep and poultry. For sale at grocery stores and company's salesrooms, 219 First st., Portland. 20n1f

WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN FOND OF GOOD society, a home in some pleasant family. Address Basso, P. O. Box 164, City.

WANTED—FIVE TO TEN ACRES LAND nearcity; must be near place where party can board. State price and particulars. B. S., care Oregonian. 20n2

WANTED—TWO OR THREE UNFURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, or small house; send price and location. Address W. T., care Oregonian. 19n1f

WANTED—BY A GOOD AND STEADY TENant, a cottage in the vicinity of Third and Lincoln; family of three; no children. Call or address Lee, 26 South Third st. 19n3

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—LEATHER PURSE, CONTAINING LETters and valuable papers. Finder will receive $5 reward by returning to F. Shuler, Silverton, Or. 1907

WHOLESALE GROCERS.

ALLEN & LEWIS WHOLESALE GROCERS, corner North Front and B sts., Portland, Oregon.

CORBITT & MACLAY WHOLESALE GROCers and Commission Merchants, 54 and 56 Front street Portland.

SEWING MACHINES.

GARRISON'S, 167 THIRD ST., AGENCY FOR the Domestic, the Household and other leading machines. Pure sperm oil, needles, attachments and repair parts. 26n7

SHOW CASE MANUFACTURERS.

DIXON, BORGESON & CO., 108 AND 110 FRONT street, Portland, Or.

TO RENT—ROOMS AND OFFICES.

FOR RENT—VERY PLEASANT FRONT ROOM for two gentlemen, or gentleman and wife; 288 Fourth street. 20n3

FURNISHED ROOM SUITABLE FOR ONE OR two gentlemen. Inquire from 9 to 12 A. M. room 4, 156 First st. 18n3

FURNISHED ROOMS AT 163 ALDER ST. 20n2

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, fire and bath, at 285

NEWS OF WASHINGTON

Seattle's Fire Department and the New Courthouse.

STEAMER WILLAMETTE IN DANGER

Seattle Citizens Greet Senator Squire With Enthusiasm Upon His Return to His Home—News From Tacoma

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 20.—Architects are preparing competitive plans for a fireproof three-story house to be built on Columbia street, between Sixth and Seventh. It will be used as a central station and will be the largest and best among the five to be built in Seattle. It will be two stories high with room in the upper story for twenty-two men besides the city steam-runs chief's and assistant chief's office. The several new steam engines, chemical engine, hook and ladder truck and fire patrol ordered by the council recently will be housed in the old apparatus. When the improvements are made the city will have a sufficient number here in getting much of a start.

The county commissioners and Contractor Saville are still wrestling over the courthouse contract. There is however no change in the status of affairs. The commissioners have about given up hopes of his completing, and are having their attorney examine the contract and advertisement for bids, as published in order that there may be no mistake in holding his $10,000 check. To-day they came near awarding the contract to the Pauly Jail and Lock Company of St. Louis for $166,000 but agreed to hold the matter over to-day upon the promise of Contractor Saville that he would sign the contract if the attorney raised no legal objection. Local bidders on the contract are talking of taking a hand in the muddle by making objections to the form of the proposals submitted by the two lowest bidders.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Seattle Lake Shore & Eastern railroad will be held in this city to-morrow at which a report of President McDonald will be read and other important business transacted. President McDonald said to-day that his report was not complete as he expected important information from New York before the meeting of stockholders. It is said that the stockholders will be asked to consider the resignation of Mr. McDonald as president and Paul F. Mohn as vice president of the road. It is probable however that McDonald's resignation will not be accepted unless some prominent and financially strong railway man in the East can be secured to act. Other important changes may be made and the amalgamation of the Seattle Lake Shore & Eastern railway with a prominent system may be possible and be proposed in order to receive the consideration of the stockholders.

RATE SEATTLE NEWS.

New Street Railway to Be Built—Portland Steamer's Narrow Escape—Other Notes

A number of leading capitalists to whom the council granted a street railway franchise Tuesday night met to-day and organized the West Seattle & North End Electric Street Railway Company with a capital stock of $1,000,000 for the purpose of the company to build a road from West Seattle around the head of the harbor, through the city of Seattle and north to Ballard a distance of twelve miles and a half. H. H. Gilman one of the prime movers in the enterprise left for New York to purchase material for the entire road which will be sent on as soon as it can be purchased. The company has guaranteed to have the road running into the suburban town of Ballard by May 18, 1890.

The steamer Willamette which arrived on day from Portland, had a very narrow escape from collision with an unknown vessel in the straits off Pillow point at 1:30 this morning. The Willamette was steaming along in the dark when a light was seen, which was thought at the masthead to be some passing steamer, but upon drawing nearer it was discovered to be a green one and before the course of the Willamette could be changed the outline of a large three masted schooner loomed up in the darkness just ahead. The wheel was ordered hard aport and speed increased, and when the bow crossed the course the vessel was not fifty feet away. It soon seemed apparent that it would clear the vessel and would have done so but for the unusually long stern flagstaff jibboom of the unknown craft, which caught it and snapped it like a pipe stem. The officers of the Willamette have no idea what the schooner's name is, though they think it may be the Corsair, bound for Port Townsend.

The board of regents of the state university will ask the legislature to provide for the erection and maintenance of two reformatory institutions, one in the eastern and the other in the western portion of the state. Regent Herd is a member of the legislature and will introduce a bill to that effect.

Information was received at the land office here to-day that a hearing had been ordered in the Frank Burns jr. case for December 11 in the office of the assistant attorney general in Washington, D. C. Burns filed a Valentine scrip upon West Seattle tide lands January 1, 1889, and he claims the first and only one whereon nothing was made previous to February 2 the date of the act of congress whereby congress provides that the title of Washington shall have absolute sovereignty and jurisdiction over her tide lands. The hearing granted to Mr. Burns case practically allows the admission of testimony which will admit of a further ventilation of the vexed scrip question.

A REPTION TO SQUIRE

Seattle Knights to Give Him an Ovation on His Return to the City

SEATTLE, Nov. 20.—Senator Squire was tendered a reception at Hotel Rainier by the new Knights of Pythias lodge this evening. The reception and entertainment was in honor of representatives of the board and secretaries from the territorial lodges of the order. Several hundred members and invited guests were present. Senator Squire will leave for Washington during the morning and will be joined by Mrs. Squire in Walla Walla by Senator Allen. They will arrive here in time to be present at the opening of congress. Their object in going is to avoid the delay and chance of collision from other new states and refrain to the legislature in regard to the length of time of every session of congress to the positions that may be assigned to them in standing committees. Senator Squire received hundreds of congratulatory dispatches from all parts of the United States to-day.

Notes from Corvallis

CORVALLIS, Or., Nov. 20.—The most brilliant social event of the season occurred to-night, being the marriage of the daughter of Hon. Wm. Hamilton to R. H. Huston, of Albany.

R. L. Baker to-day purchased of Prior Scott thirty acres of land one mile west of the city paying $30 an acre.

Southern Pacific officials visited Albany yesterday. It is reported that the West Side road will be completed to Junction by an early date.

Hacking, coughing, spitting, stop it with Kidd's Cough Syrup, 25 cents.

TACOMA NEWS IN BRIEF

Samuel Colyer Talks About the New Chamber of Commerce.

TACOMA, Nov. 20.—Samuel Colyer cashier of the Merchants' National bank of this city and the newly elected president of the Pacific Coast Chamber of Commerce in session in San Francisco until this afternoon at the board conferred upon him the appointment that the entire coast would be united to consult upon the matters of commerce to submit to congress. San Francisco had attempted to obtain the direction of the united influence of the coast but the people of Portland and San Francisco were jealous of each other.

Mr. Colyer will endeavor to induce all the North west cities to send delegates to the future sessions of the Pacific chamber and thinks that important aid can be obtained in such matters as trans Pacific telegraph and steamship lines, navy yards and harbor appropriations by the cities on the Pacific coast working in harmony.

The Puget Sound Universities opened to-day for the first time with a total of 300 students with which to commence the construction of a building.

The Chamber of Commerce is elaborate arrangements to receive a reception to J. B. Allen and other Olympia delegates but when the steamer expected to bring them arrived it was found that they had been transferred to the Barbarian bound for Seattle. Politicians apprehend that senatorial favors will give Tacoma the same go by.

FROM MCMINNVILLE.

Water Works and Electric Lights Now and a Motor Line Soon.

MCMINNVILLE, Nov. 20.—The pipe for the water works and the wires for the electric light of this town are all in place and will be ready for operation the 1st of next month. There is nearly three miles of main pipe principally six and eight inch steel spiral weld. The electric plant is a 500 sixteen-candle power plant of the Westinghouse incandescent pattern and includes forty twenty five-candle power street lamps and is run by a fifty horse power junior Westinghouse engine and two thirty horse power boilers. The city sold their bonds, $70,000 at par to an Eastern firm to run at 6 per cent interest.

To show the increase in the business of the town and country, the shipping business is double what it was last year.

A company is being formed by our principal capitalists to build a motor line to bring the different additions of the town into closer relationship with the probability of extending the line to Dayton and some of the neighboring towns. The country is level and very productive and it is thought that by extending the motor line in different directions it will become densely populated.

SALEM NEWS NOTES.

In the Supreme Court Accidental Shooting—State Agricultural Board.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 20.—Jennie Langford respondent vs. Henry F. Jones, appellant, appeal from Multnomah, argued and submitted.

The M. E. church Dallas Wasco county filed articles of incorporation to-day with J. F. Hinman, W. E. Campbell, A. B. Mott as incorporators.

Jared Musser a young man who was out hunting this evening accidentally had the contents of his gun discharged in his right hand, necessitating the amputation of three fingers.

The annual meeting of the state agricultural board adjourned at a late hour last night after arranging a special premium and premium lists for the fair of 1890. The officers elected for the ensuing year were as follows: President D. H. Looney, vice president, William Galloway; secretary, J. T. Gregg, treasurer, A. Bush; chief marshal, John Q. Wilson; superintendent of the pavilion, D. M. White.

BAKER CITY NEWS.

Knights of Pythias Organize a New Division—A Valuable Gold Brick.

BAKER CITY, Or., Nov. 20.—A delegation from the Black Prince Division of K. of P. of La Grande arrived in this city this evening, consisting of Surgeon Dr. Irving, Quartermaster O. P. Bell and other members of the First regiment, uniform rank, Oregon, to assist the mounting officer, J. W. Jett, in organizing the Baker Division, U. R. K. of P. The following officers were elected: A. A. Houston, Sir Knight, L. L. Cook, Sir Knight, Captain Dr. J. W. Fuller, Sir Knight Herald J. J. Smith of the Golden Monarch mine, has a beautiful gold brick worth $1300, the result of a five days' run of the Golden Monarch mill.

LA GRANDE NEWS.

The O. R. & N. Subsidy Raised and the Elgin Road Will Be Built.

LA GRANDE, Nov. 20.—The citizens of La Grande have raised the subsidy asked by the O. R. & N. Co. to secure the building of a railroad from this place to Elgin, and it now remains for the railroad company to carry out its contract and go to work in the next few days.

The building of this road will be of great benefit to the wheat growing portion of this valley and the fact that La Grande has furnished unaided by the county at large, all the subsidy asked, should be evidence of the interest of this place in the success of the surrounding country.

To Be Devoted to the Propaganda

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The *Catholic Review* has received a cablegram from Rome saying that the pope has ordered the personal and real property of all cardinals who die leaving no surviving relatives to be bequeathed to the propaganda. Those having relatives must make generous provision in their wills for the same institution at once, and all other funds devoted to the propaganda will be invested in foreign countries. This is to prevent the seizure of the papal revenues by the Italian government.

The Cherokee Livestock Association

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 20.—It is understood that the Cherokee Livestock Association now looks unanimously upon Secretary Noble's intimation that they will be removed from the Cherokee outlet next spring, and have decided to place their stock upon the market at once, and to avoid the depression which would result if the enormous number of cattle in the outlet were marketed at one time.

Poisoned Her Daughter and Herself.

MILWAUKEE, Mich., Nov. 20.—Mrs. Nellie Cook, who has been fatally deserted for some time last night forced her 8-year-old daughter to drink a glass of laudanum and took a dose herself. When both had retired the old man who was also home did the same. The doctors called but all efforts to save the unfortunate women were unavailing. Both died.

A Disastrous Blaze.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Nov. 20.—A fire in the Baldwin's Island district destroyed Seneca Lodge No. 1, large warehouse, planing, carriage loss of $50,000. The flames spread so rapidly that the hotel was forced to flee in their night clothes, losing all their clothing and valuables. In the warehouses was a quantity of tobacco and dry goods, not insured.

The Newspaper Reports Incorrect.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Secretary Noble this afternoon stated that the reports of his intention of resigning were incorrect.

The four Hs—health, happy home and hospitality—fostered by Angostura Bitters. Sole manufacturers Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons. At all druggists.

NEWS OF CALIFORNIA

An Uninteresting Prize Fight in San Francisco.

MCCARTY KNOCKS OUT KELLEHER

Plans of the New Chamber of Commerce—The National Grange Adjourns—A Newspaper Boy Accused of Blackmail

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—The fight to-night between Billy McCarthy champion heavyweight of Australia and Dan Kelleher of Boston for a purse of $1000 took place in the rooms of the Carlemont Athletic club.

In the fifth Kelleher landed a right on the jaw that dropped McCarthy to the floor. He was counted out.

The fight was a very tame affair. McCarthy was the aggressor when time was called and forced Kelleher about the ring. In the third round Kelleher knocked McCarthy down with a right hander as the latter broke ground. While he did frequently Kelleher's right was out of the round.

McCarthy continued to rush Kelleher about the ring from the third to the sixteenth round, Kelleher responding feebly at times. McCarthy's blows from the sixteenth round the light was so dim that neither and Kelleher got but a number of good blows.

At the beginning of the twenty-first round McCarthy dropped his hands but as Kelleher approached he turned quickly on his heel and with a blow wholly unexpected knocked his opponent flat on his back and out. It will be a black eye for Kelleher.

THE NEW CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Favors National Bankrupt Law—Some Officers Elected—Adjournment.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—The Pacific Coast Chamber of Commerce met at the rooms of the San Francisco Produce Exchange to-day.

A resolution was adopted recommending congress to pass a national bankrupt law.

A number of officers were then elected as follows: Secretary, T. C. Friend and treasurer of the Sather Banking Company. Finance committee, Mr. Hibbard of Tacoma, Mr. Sneath, Tacoma, Mr. Baldwin, San Francisco.

A resolution was adopted recommending the passage of a sheet wire bill by congress.

W. H. Mills was appointed to extend an invitation to the Pan American congress to visit this coast.

The committee adjourned after deciding to meet again in this city on February 5, 1890.

The action of the San Francisco chamber in withdrawing from the Pacific Coast Board of Commerce occasioned some short remarks to-day both on the street and at the first meeting of the executive council of the new organization. A number of members of the Chamber of Commerce insist that a majority of its 300 or 400 members would not had they been present, have withdrawn from the meeting. According to them the chamber is run by a dozen or so of men for their own benefit, but few of the members attend its meetings at the same time. On the occasion when the resolutions of withdrawal were adopted, hardly thirty members were present, they say, and the vote did not express the sentiment of the majority. During the session to-day Vice President Baldwin was given authority to act for President Collyer of Tacoma, in matters of calling meetings and the like.

THE NATIONAL GRANGE.

Several Resolutions Passed—Adjourned to Meet Next Year at Atlanta.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 20.—The National grange to-day passed resolutions favoring the election of United States senators by a direct vote of the people. A resolution was adopted reducing membership fees for men from $3 to $1 and was referred to various state granges. Mrs. Joe Bailey of Mississippi spoke of late Master Darden and of a proposition to erect a monument to his memory. A number of subscriptions for the same were received. Votes of thanks were extended to various people and to the Sacramento press for courtesies. The newly elected officers were installed to-night, after which the session of National grange adjourned to meet next year at Atlanta.

VICTIMS OF THE WAVES

The Bodies of the Sailors of the Wrecked Schooner Fidelity Not Recovered.

EUREKA, Cal., Nov. 20.—Not one of the bodies of the nine sailors drowned on Humboldt bar last Saturday by the capsizing of the schooner Fidelity have been recovered. The schooner is near the beach opposite this city, and completely broken up. A reward has been offered by Lincoln lodge of the Knights of Pythias, for the recovery of Captain Christopherson. The families of the trio of victims of last Saturday's accident are in this city in destitute circumstances and citizens have taken prompt action for their relief. The beach is being patrolled by searchers for the lost seamen.

STILL A MYSTERY

San Francisco Detectives in the Dark Regarding a Chinese Murder.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—The murder of the Chinese merchant, Pun Gen, becomes more of a mystery the more the police work on it. No motive for his killing can be found to rest with any member of the firm. Every surrounding would point to foul play, but the manner in which it was done and the lack of motive blocks inquiries in this direction. The firm has offered a reward of $2000 for the detection of the murderer.

FATAL FIRE AT ARCATA.

Two Men Burned to Death and Several Persons Injured.

ARCATA, Cal., Nov. 20.—A fire occurred in a hotel in Arcata eight miles from here yesterday morning. George A. Knight of Neustadter Bros., San Francisco and Fred Barnhill were burned to death. Two ladies and several men were more or less injured or burned by leaping from the hotel windows. The fire originated in the hotel which was kept by Mrs. Waddle. Loss not to exceed $30,000. Insurance less than $20,000.

A SAMOAN CHIEF DEAD.

Malietoa Is Dead—Arrival of San Francisco Brings Him Latest Attack of Pneumonia.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—A Samoan chief who came to this port in a schooner from Jaluit several weeks ago, died in this city yesterday afternoon after a few days' illness from typhoid pneumonia brought on by a change of climate. Deceased was a chief of rank. He was buried by the fire department and the other deported Samoans and Tonga people.

What an Killed His Brother-in-Law

ARCATA, Cal., Nov. 20.—Philip Engle shot and instantly killed his brother-in-law, W. E. Carter, at Immanuel Park this evening. Mr. Engle had been drinking and abusing his wife, and Carter interfered which angered Engle. Half an hour later when Carter walked past the house Engle seized a gun and fired. The ball entered the right side, above the hip, killing him instantly. Engle was immediately taken in custody.

BIG BASE BALL SCORE.

Los Angeles Defeats Oakland by Twenty-Two Runs.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 20.—The game of base ball between the Los Angeles and Oakland clubs was played this afternoon in the presence of 3000 people. The Los Angeles team was victorious by a score of 22 to 0. The game was called at the end of the fifth inning on account of rain.

CALIFORNIA NEWS ITEMS

Forest Notes in Brief

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Fred Gerhardt, formerly of the Pioneer Express Company, has left the city at night to take charge of the Wells, Fargo & Co. office at Hayward's, where he will remain for an indefinite period.

The body of Willard Hall, a stock boy who has been missing since last Thursday, has been found in Sutro Park. It will be brought home for burial. He was about 25 years of age and had been out with a hunting party.

To-day was a busy one on the Broadway wharf, consequent upon the discharging of the Australia and loading by Queen of the Pacific which is going to Victoria and Puget Sound in place of the Australia for the trip. The wharf was blocked with teams all day and a corporal from the North Beach police station was kept extra busy.

The jury to try Hop Chung for the murder of Long Boy last January was filled to-day.

The resignation of President Morrison of the Olympic Club continues to be one of the principal topics in athletic circles. An effort was made to-day by friends of Harrison to induce him to reconsider his declination, but without avail. He states that a large following in the club is opposed to him in general and it will be better for the club to have some other president.

Lieutenant Colonel J. H. Green, of the second cavalry, was retired to-day having attained the statutory age. He has been stationed on the Pacific coast since 1868. Major D. S. Gordon will be promoted to fill the vacancy and will probably be stationed at Fort Walla Walla.

Major John I. Rogers of the First artillery, has gone to Alcatraz barracks and left only on official business.

A Portland party explored Chinatown last night, under the guidance of Detective Cox and the visitors were much impressed with what they saw.

The Vanderbilt party from Los Angeles arrived here last week left to-day for the South.

United States Senator Stewart of Nevada and family left to-night over the Central and Union Pacific for Washington.

Under the title of "The Southern Highway," the Southern Pacific Company has issued a neat and beautifully illustrated pamphlet descriptive of the points of interest on the company's lines from Portland south and east to New Orleans.

The Last Steamer Grounds

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—United States Local Inspectors Calhoun and Hillman have presented a report which investigation into the loss of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamer Granada last June seventy miles south of Manzanillo on the coast of Mexico. The verdict was a total loss but the passengers, baggage, mails and $200,000 of treasure were saved.

Sailed

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Arrived—Str. Empire, Nanaimo; str. Columbia, Portland. Cleared—Bk. Queen of the Pacific, Victoria.

Departed—Str. Alki, Port Townsend; str. Arcata, Coos Bay; ship Dashing Wave, Tacoma; ship Fair Davenport, Port Blakely.

Four Around the World

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Miss Elizabeth Bisland of the *Cosmopolitan Magazine*, who is racing with Nellie Bly of the New York *World* to see who can make the quickest trip around the world going east and the other going west from New York, arrived yesterday on the fast mail train.

Hard on the Prohibitionists.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 20.—Unless the law providing for the holding of elections in this state is changed before the next election, the prohibition party will be unable to place a ticket in the field. The law passed by the last legislature provides that no political party that did not cast the last election poll 2 per cent. of the entire vote cast can place its nomination for candidate for office. At the last election about 500,000 votes were cast of which the prohibitionists cast 5000. It is also doubtful if the union labor party will be able to place a ticket in the field. It is understood that representatives of these parties will contest the constitutionality of the law.

A Strange Coincidence

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Siegfried H. May a wholesale liquor dealer surrendered himself to the police to-day stating that he was the man who stabbed Martin Ehrn in the saloon on Upper Broadway, on the latter part of October with an ice pick, inflicting a fatal wound. Ehrn assaulted him and he used the umbrella in self defense. The thrust in the eye was accidental.

Major Joseph Sewar late of Texas who had a fight with a stranger who insulted his wife the same night at the same place came to the police headquarters to-day to surrender himself. He believed he was the cause of Ehrn's death.

The Lisbon Congress

NASHVILLE, Nov. 20.—The Lisbon congress to-day adopted the resolutions introduced by C. C. Foster, agent of the department of justice, recommending that congress should create a prison for federal prisoners and that a prison bureau be established at Washington. These criminals would be registered according to the Bertillon system.

Ex-Lieutenant Hayes was elected president for the ensuing year. A resolution was adopted that the United States should send delegates to the national penitentiary congress at St. Petersburg next year. Adjourned sine die.

A Tempest at Junction

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Justice Patterson today granted a temporary injunction against the Central Trust Company, Houston Texas & Central Railway, C. P. Huntington and others, restraining them from issuing bonds and liens on mortgages under the plan or agreement of the Houston & Texas Central. The suit brought by Grisham & Co. who claim to hold $1,000 in scrip. They charge that the defendants have and threaten the interests of the Southern Pacific Hunting on stockholders.

A Yankee Diplomat Appointed

MONTREAL, Nov. 20.—[illegible] Lord Lansdowne, [illegible] Lord Middleton and Governor Seely, Vancouver, [illegible] Bute [illegible] quarantine.

His Ideal

Bobby—Pa, what do you do when a man has two wives?

Pa—A bigamist, Bobby.

Bobby—Pa, am I a bigamist when I have more than two wives? What is he then?

Pa—A blamed cuss! Now don't bother me with any more questions.

NEWS FROM MONTANA

Bow County Courts Illegal Proclamation.

THE MINERAL LAND CONVENTION

Speech of the Democratic Boss—A Rich Gold Strike—World to Be Made to Hail Field in Heavy Hail.

HELENA, Mont., Nov. 20.—The session of the Second District United States court convened today at 10 o'clock, Judge Hunt presiding. Court was called to order soon after a long day's session. A motion was made by Sanders to set aside the order of court made on Monday last, which was to get to session at 10 o'clock. Judge Hunt would not listen to the motion, but did not enter record further than did not. Public Administrator Jesse Tutt appeared before the court, and after a brief examination Judge Hunt ordered that the estate would be in charge of Tutt until the court would take a recess for two weeks. This is in accordance with his previously announced desire not to interfere with public business in any way. He will waive no right. Court is open for any business that may at any time be properly brought before it. At the same time, in view of action which might lead to further complications, will be scrupulously avoided. Judge Hunt's action will assist the settlement of pending difficulties in the higher tribunal.

Mr. McHatton called his court to order this morning and asked for ex parte motions. There were none, that proceeding having become a thing of the past.

THE MINERAL LAND CONVENTION

John J. Mantle, president of the mineral land convention, to-day issued his proclamation. He lays special stress upon the question of mineral lands of Montana and the relations of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company thereto, the matter having again been brought prominently to the attention of the people by the action of the railroad company in opposing certain mineral applications for patent also to certain rulings of the land department which appear to be adverse to mineral claimants, together with the near probability of patents being issued to the railroad regardless of the rights of the mine owners. This state of affairs seems to render it necessary that the mineral land convention again be called together for the purpose of devising new ways and means for meeting the serious issue which now threatens. The convention is called for Friday, November 29. The importance of the subject will bring out a full representation.

THE NEW CRATIC PROGRAMME

The Great Falls Tribune the paper of Governor-elect Toole's defeated democratic candidate for secretary of state says to-day officials it is expected that all the democratic members of the legislature will meet at the capital not later than Thursday when a caucus will be held to decide upon the policy to be pursued. The democratic leaders are determined that the plot to steal the senatorships shall not succeed.

A RICH GOLD STRIKE

One of the richest gold strikes reported in this country since the days of the famous Emigrant was made a few days ago in the Hidden Treasure mine north of Helena. The Hidden Treasure is located near Helena, about half a mile north of Jay Gould. The result exceeded the expectations of the owners. One assay showed $378.50, and the other $1046.22 to the ton. The former includes $15 and the latter $52.25 in silver.

WOULD BE MURDERER HELD TO BAIL.

James H. Hall who attempted to murder his wife in cold blood at Walkerville Sunday evening, was arraigned before Judge Herbert yesterday. He was represented by Charles O'Donnell, waived an examination and was held in the sum of $1000 to appear before the district court. Mrs. Hall was considered out of danger yesterday but was still very weak from the great loss of blood sustained Sunday evening and the frightful shock to her nervous system.

The Heavy Rains in China.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Consul General Leonard at Shanghai reporting to the department of state under date of October 18, on the heavy rains in the Yang tse valley, says at the date of his dispatch 15,000,000 acres of rice had been ruined. Within a week the retail price of rice in Shanghai increased from $3.50 to $4.50 a picul of 133 pounds. However, a total failure in the rice crop of the Yang tse valley would not cause distress or starvation as other food products can be utilized. The cotton crop is also greatly damaged by rains.

Amenable to the Law

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Commissioner of Railroads Taylor has received from the assistant attorney general for the interior department an opinion that railroads receiving grants of lands from states in which the grants were made to the states by congress to aid in the construction of railroads are amenable to the law creating the railroad bureau, and are required to make such reports as the commissioner may require.

The Loyal Arch Masons.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 20.—The seventy-seventh triennial convention of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the United States began to-day. Most of the first day's session was devoted to addresses and reports.

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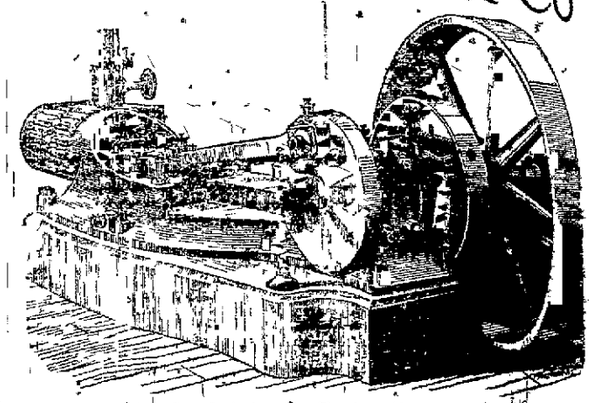

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Notice, to the Taxpayers of School District No. 1

The tax roll for 1889 is now completed for your inspection. The school directors are now in session as a board of equalization, and the superintendent's office, High school building, for 24 1889 at 2:30 P. M. to consider the tax roll. Those desiring to appear and be heard on said roll-October 1889, will be present at the time and place. The board of directors will meet on the school tax roll, and the board of directors will meet on the school tax roll, and the board of directors will meet on the school tax roll, and the

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Its shipping advantages are unequaled, as it is the junction of two great transcontinental lines, the Oregon Pacific and the Southern Pacific, and it will also be the terminus of the Albany & Astoria railroad, now in course of construction.

Over one thousand men are now employed upon the extension of the Oregon Pacific railroad from Albany eastward, and, with the coming of spring, this number will be increased to five thousand.

Albany is the furnishing point for the Santiam gold and silver mines, in which next year will be employed 1000 men.

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Twelve additions have been made to Albany and over five hundred buildings erected during the past year.

Albany has a street railway system and the most complete electric light works in the state, its dynamos furnishing more lights than all the other cities of the valley combined.

A look at this array of improvements for the year 1890: With a population of over 10,000 there will be built at Albany large smelting works by Eastern capitalists, a 4-story brick hotel; a 3-story brick block, to be occupied by railroad offices; largest hospital in the state, to be erected by the Sisters of Charity from Emmitsburg, Md.; a paper factory, gas works and numerous other smaller institutions necessitating an expenditure of nearly $1,000,000.

Besides these, the car and machine shops, round house and other buildings for the western division of the Oregon Pacific Railroad Company will be erected here.

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ALL QUIET IN BRAZIL.

Something About Dom Pedro and His People.

A REIGN OF FIFTY-EIGHT YEARS

He Inspires a Host of Rare Attachments, and They Appear With His Subjects—An Ephemeral Territory.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Dr. Valente, the Brazilian minister, has not yet been officially requested to ask the United States government to recognize the United States of Brazil. He believes that such a request will not be made immediately, but that the new government will wait a reasonable length of time to satisfy the world of its stability before seeking formal recognition. These matter regards the views of the domestic republicans, as set forth in their manifesto as most reasonable in all respects.

GREAT EXCITEMENT AT LISBON.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—A private telegram from Lisbon states that there is great excitement there over the Brazilian revolution. There is a renewal of the fears of a republican uprising. The royal palace is guarded by troops for the first time since the death of the late king. The Portuguese minister, however, declares that the change in Brazil will have no serious effect in Portugal. The republicans are few and the soldiers loyal.

ORDERED TO RIO.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—A Washington special says: Admiral Gillis, commanding the South American squadron, has been ordered to join with the Richmond and Ballapoosa to Rio Janeiro to protect American interests.

DOM PEDRO AND HIS PEOPLE.

A Monarch Who Has Reigned Longer Than Any Living Ruler.

Dom Pedro II, deposed emperor of Brazil, is evidently in point of service in royalty, he having been declared emperor before Victoria was called to the throne of Great Britain, although he is the grandson of Prince Albert's relict by three or four years. Stormy times reigned upon Brazil from the year 1821 until 1831. In the former year filial affection against the ruling monarch, Dom Joao VI, led to his practical abdication in favor of his son, Dom Pedro I, the latter leaving for Portugal, to the crown of which he had succeeded. The popularity of Dom Pedro I. began to wane soon after he ascended the throne because of his favoritism he showed Portuguese residing in Brazil; and he, in turn, was compelled to leave his South American throne for Europe in 1831, intrusting his son, Dom Pedro II., then 5 years old, and his three sisters to the tender mercies of his subjects. Thus for fifty-eight years Dom Pedro has ruled over his fickle people, although he was not declared of legal age until nine years after his assumption of the title of emperor, or in 1840, when he was but a lad of fourteen years. Later Dom Pedro married the daughter of the king of Naples, and their marriage has been a peculiarly happy one. Two children have been born to them, both daughters, their eldest, Isabel married, and the only offspring of the couple. Now the oldest person in the world has offered up many instances of devotion to his subjects and a desire to promote their interests as best he could. Not only has he given consent to and encouraged movements looking to a transformation of the country, but in 1871 he caused to be passed a law which declared that thenceforward all children born of slaves should be free, and also declared that thenceforward all slaves belonging to the imperial household should be free. Slavery is now almost extinct within the empire.

The emperor is a man of rare intellectual qualities, and had he not been a ruler of men he might have attained to no mean reputation as author and scholar. Master of a number of the living languages, a man of poetic temperament and yet at the same time of philosophic mind, he possesses equal moral attainments. He is a model husband, a fond father, a patriot as he has understood the term. In 1876 and once since he left his country in order to study the manners and customs of other peoples that he might learn therefrom what would conduce to the well-being of his own subjects. His popularity, as that of his wife and offspring, was great, and the tidings of the trouble come as a surprise to all who had any acquaintance with the condition of affairs in the leading empire of South America.

Dom Pedro's reign has been since 1840—when troubles of ten years' continuance in the province of Rio Grande were suppressed—one of peace and prosperity. Beloved of his subjects and studying their welfare, he has been able to devote himself uninterruptedly to the development of his kingdom. And yet the population of Brazil is greatly mixed, there being probably as many types and races as in the governments of Austria or Turkey. Still such was the affection his people had for him that he has for forty years been able to hold all these varying forces well in hand. The liberal spirit he has ever displayed, with his persistent efforts to advance his people in every direction, makes the more extraordinary the present disturbance.

BRAZIL'S ENORMOUS TERRITORY.

A Country of Many Tribes, Rich in Precious Stones and Luxuriant Vegetation.

In extent of territory Brazil is nearly as large as Europe, comprising upward of 3,288,000 English miles. The greatest river of the globe, the Amazon, affords, with its tributaries, over 30,000 miles of free navigation in Brazilian territory. The metallic and mineral products of the country are various. Brazil has always been noted for its richness in diamonds and other gems, and the fields from which they are taken are the most extensive known. Except on the loftier mountains, the vegetation is luxuriant beyond description. The forests of the country contain almost every species of useful and ornamental wood. The varieties of animated life are more numerous perhaps than in any other region of the world. Brazil was discovered in 1499 by Vincent Yanez Pinson, a companion of Columbus. He took possession of the country in the name of the Spanish government, but the next year the country was declared an apanage of Portugal by Pedro Alvarez Cabral. The Spanish neglected the country, and the first attempt on the part of the Portuguese at colonization was the founding of a hereditary captaincy in the province of Pauljo. Considerably later a college was established by Nobrega. The French and Dutch both attempted to make settlements, but with poor success, and the Portuguese governed almost undisturbed. Indirectly the fate of this isolated colony was decided by the French revolution and Brazil is the only instance of a colony becoming the seat of government of the mother country. This was brought about by Napoleon, who induced Dom Joao VI to seek refuge there. The population of Brazil is something over 13,000,000, and presents a number of distinct types. The aborigines, natives of the country have to a large extent become amalgamated with the settled population in the maritime provinces, but in the forests they remain still in a savage condition. These tribes, scattered over the vast interior, are countless, and though they may vary in language and customs, are all of the original stock, the Tupi-Guarani. The African negro, introduced in immense numbers, forms a large portion of the population. The Brazilian Creoles, who call themselves Brazileiros, are little inferior in capacity, strength of intellect to the pure race of Portuguese. An increase of population being necessary to the growth of the country has of late years induced a wonderful immigration of European colonists. In Brazil there is no privileged aristocracy but descent from noble Portuguese families and length of service in the country give rise to claims which are readily admitted. The Roman Catholic is the established religion of the country. All others are tolerated, but must be practiced privately. Primary and public schools, supported by the state, have been established throughout the empire. Besides these there is a second or higher grade of schools, in which are taught the sciences, mathematics and German, French and English. The Dom Pedro Imperial College has a faculty of twenty-two professors. Extensive libraries are attached to all the schools and colleges. The Brazilians are in general hospitable and generous, and endowed with great pride. Brazil is not by any means a manufacturing country, but its commerce, especially of late years, has been uniformly progressive.

THE GREAT EXPLORER.

Stanley and Emin Slowly Moving Toward the East Coast.

BERLIN, Nov. 20.—The *Reichs Anzeiger* publishes a dispatch from Captain Wissmann, dated October 13, saying that four of Stanley's soldiers, and one of Emin's men had arrived there. They left Stanley at Kaukumba, August 10. Emin and Casati had with them 300 Soudanese soldiers and a large number of people conveying a great quantity of ivory. Stanley was bringing 2.0 Zanzibars and six Bautehuans. Barring an unforeseen accident the expedition should reach Mpwapa November 20. Both Emin and Stanley had frequent battles with parties of Mahdists, and were uniformly victorious.

LATER NEWS.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Captain Wissmann telegraphs that Henry M. Stanley arrived at Mpwapa November 10.

THE ALL-AMERICAN CONGRESS.

Some Progress Made in Effecting an Organization.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—The session of the International American conference today was devoted entirely to efforts to perfect the organization, and some progress was made in that direction. The report of the committee on credentials was presented, and the delegates were seated. The report of the committee on rules was laid before the conference. After considerable discussion upon the report, and without coming to any conclusion Secretary Blaine, to facilitate the transaction of business, suggested that the report be postponed until Friday, and this action was taken. Senor Christiano, of the Argentine republic, then called up his resolution providing for the appointment of two secretaries, who were described by the presiding officer as Englis-Spanish and Spanish-English secretaries. Before the matter could be passed upon, Senor Romero, of Mexico, called up the report of the committee on committees. Pending its consideration, the question came up as to how the chair was to be filled in Mr. Blaine's absence. After a long discussion it was decided to select a president pro tem. The names of the countries represented were written on cards, which, after being carefully mixed were drawn out in the following order: Hayti, Nicaragua, Peru, Guatemala, Uruguay, Colombia, Argentine, Costa Rica, Paraguay, Brazil, Honduras, Mexico, Bolivia, the United States, Venezuela, Chili, Salvador, Ecuador. The representatives to be selected by the delegations from these countries will take turns in filling the chair of Mr. Blaine's absence. The report of the committee on committees went over.

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TO SAVE THEIR NECKS.

Cronin Conspirators Trying to Prove an Alibi.

THE STATE'S ATTORNEY A WITNESS.

Members of Camp 20 Declaim a Knowledge of the Inner Circle—The Conspirators Make Slow Progress.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Testimony to prove alibis for the defendants in the Cronin case was resumed this morning. Mrs. Thomas Whalen, who keeps house for O'Sullivan, and her sister, Kate McCormick, who spent the night of the murder at O'Sullivan's house, corroborated the evidence of former witnesses that O'Sullivan was in the house all the time that night. They were awake till 9 o'clock the next morning and he was still there. Mrs. Whalen said she was present when Clancy of the New York *Herald* wanted O'Sullivan to go and see Cronin's body. O'Sullivan refused because he didn't know Clancy, but said he would go if a policeman asked him to.

Matt Danahy, a saloonkeeper, testified that Martin Burke was in his saloon from 7 to 10 on the morning of May 4. On cross-examination the fact was developed that witness was a member of Camp 20. He admitted that he had been supplying Burke's meals to him and that he visited Winnipeg some time ago for the purpose of "looking around." He denied ever having sent money to Burke at Winnipeg, denied ever having called Cronin a spy or having used any other opprobrious epithet. He admitted that he was free from the prisoners' defense fund and was active in raising money.

W. J. Coughlin, a saloonkeeper, corroborated Danahy's testimony about Burke being in the latter's saloon that night.

At the afternoon session, John O'Malley, a clerk in a North-town assessor's office, corroborated Danahy's evidence as to Burke.

James Lyman, a citizen contractor and a member of Camp 20, told of the meeting of February 8, when a committee was appointed to investigate the statement that the report of the Buffalo trial committee had been prematurely made public in Cronin's case. Witness said that after the resolution was adopted the matter was reconsidered and referred to District Officer Spellman, of Peoria.

Ex-Congressman John A. Finerty said that he was a member of Camp 20. He had never heard of an "inner circle" in it.

Several other witnesses were examined in regard to the "inner circle," but none of them knew anything about it.

State's Attorney Longenecker was then called to the witness stand on behalf of defendant Beggs. He objected, but after a brief argument the court ordered the examination to proceed. In reply to questions, the state's attorney said he had heard Beggs's testimony before the coroner's jury, and had subsequently caused Beggs to be brought before the grand jury. When Mr. Foster asked him if he had examined Beggs before the grand jury, Mr. Mills, of the counsel for the state, objected. In reply to the query of the court as to what he found by this line of examination, Foster said: I mean to show that Beggs voluntarily told the state's attorney before the grand jury in regard to this Cronin correspondence and the action of Camp 20 in this matter. I further offer to prove that after this examination, and in pursuance of what Beggs stated under oath, Spellman was subpoenaed as a witness before the grand jury and interrogated, and furnished the letters Beggs had written him, in pursuance of his voluntary statement of Beggs in this matter to Longenecker."

The court said that Foster was entitled to get that before the jury, but he had not asked the state's attorney if he was not willing to await that fact before going upon the stand. The examination then proceeded. The examination developed the fact that Beggs told the state's attorney of the correspondence between the defendant and Spellman, and that in pursuance of that information the state's attorney caused Spellman to be examined and subpoenaed to produce the letters he had written to Beggs up to the time of the information. The state's attorney did not say Beggs had written any letters to Spellman. Foster then asked if the testimony of Beggs before the grand jury was not the first information the state's attorney had had that there had been such a correspondence. Judge Longenecker said that his question was putting words in his mouth, and he would not answer it, but he finally said that Beggs said that there were letters that would explain the whole thing, or something to that effect. The letters were written to Spellman, and the replies were to explain the secret committee arrangement. The state's attorney further admitted, in reply to a question, that Beggs wanted him to obtain these letters.

Chief of Police Hubbard was called, and admitted that after Beggs's arrest they had had a conversation regarding the Spellman correspondence, and that Beggs had directed him where in his (Beggs's) desk to find the letters which he wished take up to Judge Longenecker.

Adjourned.

THE NICARAGUA CANAL.

The Preliminary Work Proceeding as Rapidly as Possible.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—C. P. Treat, a large stockholder in the Nicaragua Canal Company, who is now here says: "I have just received news from Nicaragua that the preparatory work on the canal is being pushed as rapidly as is possible. The first trouble with which we met, is the difficulty in landing ships at Greytown. We are working with every energy and are now building breakwater and docks. The contract for the construction of a canal from the Caribbean sea to dock No. 1, is to be let in a few days. Nicaragua and Costa Rica are not likely to endanger the construction of the canal. There is no trouble between the countries and the relations of the canal company with Nicaragua are most cordial.

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

Of the Ratification by North Carolina of the Federal Constitution.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Nov. 20.—The centennial celebration of the ratification by North Carolina of the Federal Constitution began to-day. Great crowds were in the city and the decorations were profuse, the national colors predominating. Governor Fowle made a patriotic speech, paying a glowing tribute to the constitution, as by far the best model of a civil government ever devised. Speaking to the ex-Confederate soldiers present, he told them to cherish the recollections of their soldier life, and to be able to show to the world if the occasion ever arose, that they are able to surpass the record already made then in behalf of the flag of their united country.

Jurisdiction Over Indian Lands.

TOPEKA, Kas., Nov. 20.—Judge Foster, in the case of the Stevens county murderers, decided that the district court for the eastern district of Texas has jurisdiction over Indian lands, where the crimes for which they were indicted recently by the grand jury at Paris, Tex., were committed.

A Dead Title.

It isn't often that a man is president in fact of the entire time, but Mr. Klog is president of the railway. The King of Siam pays $8,000 per year to the head man of the travelers insurance co. Mr. A. K. Kaufman is agent for some company and a resident of Lancaster, Pa. He said recently: "Mr. Pitt's Liver Pellets are an excellent remedy. People in every walk of life say they are the best."

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BONDS FOR SALE.

The City of Independence will sell its bonds, amounting to $3000, and is now ready to enter bids for the same. Offers will be received up to Nov. 25, 1889, upon the following conditions:

First—There will be issued six bonds of the denomination of $500 each.

Second—Said bonds will draw 6 per cent interest, and interest is to be paid semi-annually, on the first of June and December of each year.

Third—Bids for the whole or part thereof.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. B. JOHNSON, City Recorder.

Independence, Or., Oct. 30, 1889. 6n28

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The Oregonian.

PORTLAND, THURSDAY, NOV. 7, 89.

Among the bequests of John Crerar to the city of Chicago was the sum of $10,000 for a statue of Abraham Lincoln.

The citizens of Lebanon have subscribed $5000 as a subsidy for the erection of a paper mill at that town. Lebanon, in common with all other towns of the Willamette valley, is putting a steady and substantial growth.

It is reported in St. Johns, on good authority, that a number "locators" from Portland are circulating to his victims lands that have been filed on in the vicinity of Clatskanie, and giving them numbers of land situated in Clatsop county.

The initial number of the Stanton Star has been received. It is a five-column folio and promises to grow. It starts with the avowed intention of booming Stanton valley and South Marion county, and of raising in all the time-honored notices in that neck of the woods.

A band of 2200 sheep recently arrived in Lane county from Eastern Oregon. They are distributed in the Willamette valley where feed for wintering stock is more abundant than in some sections of Eastern Oregon, where the county was dog-serve during last summer.

The editor of the Washington *Independent* is not to be trifled with. He says: Let those fellows who owe this office remember they will be pulled when they undertake to leave the county before we get such accounts. We detected one to time last week just before he boarded the train.

Current reports say that two inches of snow fell at Prineville Wednesday and that it was still snowing in the mountains Thursday. Three years ago here was several inches of snow on the high peaks in Crook county. The state of the atmosphere in the Willamette valley gives credence to the report.

A city of the size and importance of Astoria should have better educational facilities. As it now exists, says the *Pioneer*, a young man or woman who may desire to go above the grammar school grades is compelled to go to Portland, as the schools of this city do not teach above the grammar grade.

There is in Umatilla county a human freak that is a great curiosity. It is an Indian child of the Nez Perces tribe, with but one eye, situated in the center of the forehead like those of the fabled cyclops. The child, it is said, is able to see with ease, and ran about with as much freedom as any of his companions.

The Vancouver, Wash. *Register* says: The youngest judge in the new state was elected on the same day that he celebrated his 27th birthday. His name is J. R. Winn, and he is a democrat. He was elected supreme judge of the district embracing Snohomish, Skagit and Whatcom counties. His majority was only twenty-four.

It is reported in the Chook county papers that horses in that vicinity are not generally in good condition. Quite a number are being brought over to winter in the Willamette valley. They are not, as a rule, fit for market until they have fattened on the rich green grass that is growing so luxuriantly since the fall rains began.

Captain J. W. White, of Oakland, Cala., superintendent of construction of the saving station on this coast, has just inspected the new life saving station at Ft. Stevens, just completed by W. B. Huffington. He found everything all satisfactory, and as soon as a little grading is finished, which has been delayed by the showers, the work will be formally accepted.

Some time ago a man started to get a plat in Spokane Falls, to build a house to start a bush ess in. The owner asked him $2,000. "Do you want to freeze me out, to keep me from getting in here?" he asked. "That's what it is worth," was the answer. He bought the lot, intending to build on it later on. Last week he sold it for $65,000. Now he is looking for another lot.

Messrs. Robert Crow, J. P. Faud and C. W. Coyne, constituting the state board of railroad commissioners, accompanied by George A. Waggoner, clerk, have just returned from a trip to Southern Oregon, having been furnished with a special train by the Southern Pacific. They were accompanied by vice-President Koehler, General Superintendent Brandt, and Mr. William A. Grondal, superintendent of the bridge and building department. The road was inspected as far south as Ashland. The road is said to be in excellent condition.

A commercial traveler was consigned to the insane asylum a few days ago, whose wife is in the Stockton asylum. The significant term "domestic difficulties" is dictated the cause of their unbalanced mental condition. It seems strange that any human beings, with the wide world before them, will thus together and multiply "difficulties" to the extent that these people seem to have done. Catholic archbishop could scarcely depict worse in terms as significant of misery as the fate of these people have proved the continuance of a discordant marriage relation to be.

A committee has been appointed by the Astoria Chamber of Commerce to circulate among the citizens and see if they are willing to give $5000 as a bonus for the erection of a flour mill in that city with a capacity of 125 barrels a day. The *Pioneer* says: "There is no question but that the bonus of $5000 can be raised, and very quickly, too. No hesitancy should be allowed in raising that amount, as with a trifling effort the sum can be secured in side of a day. A flouring mill will be a big start in the direction of securing other needed enterprises, and we should by all means secure it at once."

When the fire was devastating the timber in Idaho last summer, Governor Shoup placed $150 at the disposal of the town of Hailey for the purpose of fighting the flames. The amount was sent to the First National bank, Governor Shoup accompanying it with a request that proper vouchers be sent him for the amounts paid out, to enable him to get the money refunded by the secretary of the interior. Only about $75 was expended in guarding the town, most of the work having been done by volunteers. That amount was paid by the Board of Trade out of its own funds it being deemed unjust that Governor Shoup should be deprived of the use of its money until he could obtain it from Washington. The draft which he remitted to the bank was therefore returned, with thanks.

The "Times" Best Principle.
Prompt Return Correct Count.

The last quarterly payment to the proprietors of the *Times* upon a ten-dollar share of the dividend which they had been in the habit of receiving for the same period before the creating of the special commission. This is an improvement of on the two preceding quarters when the proprietors received no dividend. Call for the reason still a great deal of discontent. Some go as far as to question the honesty of the conductors of the paper in bringing it to such a condition.

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MARRIAGE OF FIRST COUSINS.

Tragic Offspring a Hopeless Idiot—A Sad Story of Rural Life.

Two years ago in Washington, says the *Capital*, of that city, were married a young man and a young woman, who were to each other the relationship of "first cousins." There were of excellent family, and the bride was quite a beauty. There were weighty financial reasons for the marriage. The ceremony was solemnized in the flower-decked parlors of the bride's home just two years ago this present month. The young couple made their home in this city with the bride's parents, and the young husband tried to increase his already comfortable fortune by real estate speculations. Things went on fairly for a year, and a girl baby came to the young people. It was an ordinary looking sort of a baby—its grandmother said it was the handsomest one that ever was—but as its days of age grew into weeks it was noticed not to seem to see anything. Now and then, seemed, from its pretty mother's cooing to the tiniest sort of a noise, elicit even the slightest sign of consciousness from the wee bit of humanity. It never rolled its eyes and scarcely slept at all. That the old doctor was consulted, and after speaking of the relationship of the father and mother, he said that the baby had no mind; that it was an absolute unnatural hopeless idiot. This was a death blow to what of love there had been between the father and mother of the little girl baby. They both traveled, but not to forget. The mother went to Europe and the father, after traveling a month or so in this country, went back to his real estate speculations. He lost money at every turn, and also got to be a quibbler. Now he is a penniless drunkard. His relatives keep him clothed and pay his board, and he spends his time trying to borrow money. The mother has returned from Europe and is living away and shamefully with a fast politician and gambler in New York—or she was until recently; her infidelities and escapades were the talk of Washington, and she put her self-respect and the gambler, and he put her by the family, on condition that I also stays away from Washington.

Some African Foibles.

Boston Transcript.

After all the competition of the great powers for choice cuts from the African continent, Italy quietly takes the best, getting Abyssinia. The Italian protectorate over that country gives Italy possession of one of the most productive countries in the world, occupied by a race which has made a closer approach to what we call civilization than that of the other of the native races of Africa. Abyssinia is a Christian country, keeping up the tradition and worship of the old Coptic church. Soil, climate, and the conditions of the people are favorable to the development of a new fly in Abyssinia. To turn the tide of immigration Africaward will with probability be the task to which Italian statesmanship will address itself. The establishment of the protectorate is very creditable to Italian diplomacy, but must cause unpleasant surprise in Paris. With Germany for an ally, Italy can afford to be indifferent to French sentiment; in fact, displays a disposition to carry on a chip on its own shoulder, in the hope that shoulder-striking in France may to grieve the lovers of peace.

It Angered Cleveland.

Philadelphia Press.

Ex-President Cleveland repents his remark with respect to the recent democratic victories that "the heaven of tariff reform has fallen since the whole lump." Certain it is that it has angered Mr. Cleveland. It has leveled him, also.

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MEETING NOTICES.

Yeung Men's Institute No. 56.—Attention! You are requested to be present at your hall for grand work. Business of importance will be transacted. FRANK C. HENNESSY, Cor. sec. DANIEL R. MURPHY, Pres.

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At La Grande, Nov. 1, to the wife of Joseph Palmer, a son.

DIED.

At Mt. Tabor, Or., Nov. 20th, John W. M. Cook, born in Ohio, June 24, 1836.

The funeral will take place from his late residence on Burnside st. at 2 P. M. Saturday, Nov. 23. Friends of the family are invited to attend. Interment private.

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At La Grande, Nov. 1st, Fannie Smiley, wife of John Smiley, aged 27 years.

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TERRACES.

This choice city property is now selling at fair prices and residences will rise rapidly. Lodge for yourself as to the superb scenery and enjoy it in a home above the reach of typhoid and malaria. Terms to suit buyer's means. Call on the agents, J. V. Andrews & Co., 25 Pine street.

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We can offer to-day the best investment in Port Townsend property ever offered in Portland. Do not fail to call at once. Have just returned from this growing city, and have interest in every piece of land we offer, and can give points in the formation. THURSTON, BROWN & CO., 30 Ash st.

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SOUTHERN PORTLAND.

Choice lots for sale on easy terms. Several street cuts are still soon to be running; their prices are sure to advance 50% now. Have the finest lots in Riverside addition to Albina; lots and tracts ready cleared. Three-acre tracts cheap as an opening at $400 per acre; also near street railway. LONG & ELKINS, 24 Washington st.

Quarter Block

(1463 M), in Pinchbeck's addition, a bluff, an improved street facing west, commanding magnificent view, one block from electric motor line; price $3,500; this is the only eighty (80) acre tract in the finest addition and is a bargain at $6000. CARR & GOLDSMITH, S.W. cor. First and Washington sts.

ASTORIA.

Lots in North Addition to West Astoria have advanced 50 and 60 per cent, very few of them are sold and are investments well worth up to double that in six months. Astoria will be a railroad town or it will never be. Agents at Ford and Watson's, Astoria, or 24 Washington st., Portland.

ART NEEDLE WORK.

Mrs. Vail, the needle-artist, has removed to 171 Third st., between Morrison and Yamhill, where she will be pleased to see her friends and patrons. Stamping done to order. Lessons given in all kinds of needle-work. Perforated patterns for sale.

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...Ordinance for the City Hall Once ...Place Street Improvements ...Better Work, Etc

...members of the common council ...evening. After the meeting ...except Councilman Hoyt, ...slightly, built the ordi... ...the cable road for Park, a ... to build a branch down Alder ... Front, came up for a ... ...if any amendments had ... and on being told there had ... to refer it back to the street ...

...the committee had no ... ...make. ...asked to have the ordinance ... ...did not know as he had ever ... ...clerk read the whole ordi... ...down to the section ... ...conductors were up civil ... ...filled. Then Mr. Smith ... ...ordinance to the judiciary ... ...month to make the license on ... ...passed at $50. ...explained that the license had ... ...fixed at $75 last year, owing to ... ...been boiled and stewed ... ...manner now provided, and the ... ...the yonds on Front st. ... ...prior rights in regard to ... ...the upper cable, they had ... ...they ought to pay the same ...

...Hicks took the matter was put ... ...Hoyt's motion carried by ...

...ordinance taken on the final passage ...and it was passed by yeas ...

...REGULATING ORDINANCE. ...ordinance to regulate the playing of ...with the Salvation ... ...which had been referred ... ...committee, came back with ... ...providing that ... ...after the hours of 6 P. M. ... ...following morning, so ... ...day to scare horses and ... ...the streets, and ... ...moving from ... ...done all the good they ... ...or not to do it the ordinance was passed. Now ... ...can drive out as fast as ... ...danger

...BOOMS, ETC. ...ordering appropriating ... ...out of the general fund ... ...in the last year's estimate and ordinary expenses, ...increase of salaries of the ... ...other officials and the ... ...number of deputies in ... ...rushed through under a ... ...of the rules, and some of the ... ...into various funds where it ... ...to those who get it.

...STREET WORK. ...to be ordinance in regard ... ...fixing the size of the ... ...to be used, and pro... ...making of the street be... ...and a list of other ... ...secure better work on the ... ...and referred to the ...

...MUCH REMAINED. ...called in the matter ... ...He said that the ... ...decided that it could not ... ...block, but it could be ... ...and he thought the matter ... ...The city was authorized ... ...for $150,000, and this ... ...for the city jail prepared ... ...piece of ground and ... ...suggested that a committee ... ...select a site and to take the ... ...and issuing the bonds. ... Woodward evidently ... committee was to be a ...ority, as spoke against it in ... terms, and the mayor ex... ...only intended that the ... ...select a site, or sites, and ... ...who could buy which ... ...said he had no hobbies ... ...and did not represent ... ...whole city. ...would be well to appoint ... ...look for a suitable site, ...to procuring plans and ... ...another to take steps to ... ...formation of issuing bonds was ... ...committee on ways and ... ...motion that committee ... ...attend to the matter at ...

...mayor was instructed to ...committee to look for a site for the ...appointed as such committee, Forbes and Gerdes. ...stated that the committee ... in the amount of grounds re... ...motion of Purrell, they were ... consider anything less than ... such site.

...CONFIRMED. ...passed confirming the ...house property on Morri...

...IN THE FIRE." ...in the fire again in regard to ...ment of North Front street. ...alities met during the after... ...the bids on the improve... ...were advertised. Some ... were put in, but there ... ...petition from the N. P. Ter... ...Willamette steam mills, H. L. ...stead and L. T. Nicolai, asking ...ement of the street and pro... ...laying on the roadway be of ...ect instead of five-inch, and ... west side of the street from ...adison to the northwest end of ...naturalized. The committee ...again rejected all the bids and ...that an ordinance be passed ...the original ordinance so as to ... this petition. ...ect, was adopted, and in proper ...ordinance, was repealed. The ...some inquiries as to the ex... ...already incurred and the res... ...asking and filling signed ...and now the street committee ...ceed to put on their hands ...ick hold, and if the world does ...and too soon, or some other ... ...happens, many of the ...ession will live to see the initial ...completed, but from the way in ...street has progressed so far, it ...is really too short for such ...

...ORDERED. ...with this matter a resolution ...ordering notices to be posted ... of the new freight depot on ... street, warning all persons ...on the side walk in front of ... directing that a wide ... the point cut and sub... ...the pains at present ... ...intersections of the city ordi... ...terminal company have built ...barricade plank for the express ...teams thereon to load ...have provided for cross... ...on the east side of the ...people to pass the place; so ...going to feel dissatisfied. How-

...ever, we sometimes pretty near almost always cannot have everything to please everybody.

In regard to the mayor's communication concerning the poor terminal facilities furnished the city, the committee on streets recommended that steps be taken forthwith to remove the temporary railroad tracks on North Front street, and to have the sidewalks and crosswalks placed in good condition, and the auditor was instructed to give the necessary notices to this end.

HO, FOR THE CITY PARK!

The committee on health and police was authorized to employ a man at a salary of $75 per month to drive the prisoners out to the city park to work. He will probably stay there and work with them until they are ready to come back. With this driver at $75 and two guards at $60 per month each, it looks as if the city was going to considerable expense to give the prisoners a chance to exercise and get up an appetite.

THE RESTAURANT-KEEPERS' PETITION.

One and twenty restaurant-keepers presented a petition asking that the license for supplying their customers with malt and vinous liquors at meals be reduced to such reasonable rate, as to enable them to carry on business. They complain that they can not afford to pay the high license enforced by the city, and their customers go to saloons where refreshments are furnished with drinks, which is an inequality of privilege and has a tendency to destroy their business. The matter was referred to the judiciary committee.

THEY APPEAL FROM IT.

The Johnson creek sewer assessment, notwithstanding the labor expended on it, does not please everybody, and appeals from it were presented by L. Goldsmith, M. Donnertin, George H. Flanders, C. H. Lewis and R. Glisan, all of which were referred to the committee on sewers.

ASKED FOR AN EXTENSION.

The Metropolitan Railway Company presented a communication stating that they were about to begin laying their second track, and that many persons along Second street wish the work delayed on account of its being such a nuisance to have the street torn up in rainy weather. Their franchise calls for the completion of the road by April 5, but they offer, if the council will extend the time six months, to put off the work till the rains are over. The matter was referred to the street committee.

INSTRUCTED TO BRING SUIT.

Messrs. Nicholas and Deady, as attorneys for Arthur Davenport, called attention to the fact that the Fourteenth-street sewer emptied on his property, and that they were instructed to bring suit to have this an...ce abated.

The mayor suggested that the sewer be put through Mr. Davenport's ground.

Woodward said it ought to be done as soon as possible.

The matter was referred to the committee on sewers, with power to act and with orders to at once prepare an ordinance to extend the sewer through Mr. Davenport's property.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Contracts were awarded as follows: Improvement of North Twenty-first street to John Mojoney; South Front street to the O. P. & O. Co., Curry street to Jasper Ward, and I street to B. S. Reilly. The sewer in E street to Woodward & Rivers; in South Second street to B. Gaskin and in I street to B. S. Reilly.

The city surveyor was instructed to survey and mark the bounds of the extensions of Fourteenth and D streets.

THEY MUST BE REPAIRED.

A resolution was passed, in accordance with the recommendation of Street Commissioner Chapman, declaring the repair of a large number of sidewalks and crosswalks necessary, and ordering that the work be done, and the property owners will have to pay for it.

THE MATTER WAS REFERRED.

The P. M. & B. Co. asked for an extension of sixty days in which to complete the improvement of Eighth street, and Bays & Jeffery ninety days to complete North Fourteenth street.

The council did not grant these extensions as readily as usual, as under the revised charter property owners are paying interest on the assessments from the time they became delinquent, and Mr. Farrell said he knew of two persons who had paid interest and were waiting to begin suit for an extension of time was granted. The matter was referred to the street committee and city attorney.

THE USUAL REMONSTRANCE.

Several property owners remonstrated against the improvement of G street being accepted, as they claim that instead of all being done with screened gravel the materials used are half sand and rock. A remonstrance was also presented against the improvement of Salmon street.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented asking for sewers in Market street and P street, and for the improvement of Multnomah street and Gaines street.

W. L. Owens asked to have the $10 he was fined for cutting a limb off a tree in front of city property refunded, claiming that he benefited the tree.

On motion council adjourned.

THE LATEST OUT.

A daily through car service has been established by the Chicago, Union Pacific & Northwestern line between Portland and Chicago via Council Bluffs, thus offering to the public facilities not given by any other line. "The Limited Fast Mail," which runs daily between the above points, carries the Overland Fast Mail, a limited number of first-class passengers without extra charge, and is composed of Pullman vestibuled sleepers and Pullman dining-cars. Portland to Chicago via Council Bluffs.

This is another indication that the Union Pacific is desirous of meeting the requirements of the people. For information in regard to this and other trains on this line, apply to George S. Taylor, Union ticket office, corner First and Oak streets, or A. L. Maxwell, general passenger and ticket agent, Portland, Oregon.

PERSONAL.

F. H. Hobbell, of New York, is registered at the Gilman.

Mr. Will L. Sherman, secretary of the Sierra Nevada and other Coeur d'Alene mining companies, has gone to Santa Barbara for the winter, in hope that the change of climate will be beneficial to his health.

A CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to return my thanks to the many friends and acquaintances in Portland who have been so kind in their expressions and congratulations to me; also to all who have so kindly assisted in the recitals, and to those who have been so kind and helpful in the erection of the organ, and...pecially to Mr. L. M. Clark, who has so faithfully performed the superintending of the work. I leave Portland with only pleasant memories of my visit and a regret that such a distance divides my old and many friends inside here from me, but temper with the hope that we meet again.

Sincerely the people's servant,

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GATHERED HERE AND THERE

Some of the City's News Picked Up by Busy Reporters.

Deputy Sheriff Clarkson Wants the Money—Professed New Church—Gov. Woods' Office—Going to Fort Townsend.

HARRISON ENDORSED.—The question is lived that the present republican administration failed to do its duty to the colored people of America, as is discussed by the American Literary Society at Zion M. E. church yesterday evening. It is needless to say that the abolitionist orators won, to defend an untenable principle and negate all common sense. W. H. Woods and T. Brown were the champions of the administration. Next Wednesday evening the momentous question of the hour will be, "Is Marriage a Failure?" There is some intimation that we ones are to be excluded on this occasion.

HE WEARS THE REWARD.—Deputy Sheriff Clarkson, of Yreka, who captured the murderer Gibbs, having discharged his duties by bringing the prisoner safely to Portland in connection with ex-Jailer Hoxie, is ready to return to his home as soon as the reward offered is forthcoming. If those who subscribed to this fund will leave their amount set down opposite their respective names at the Oregon National Bank this forenoon, Mr. Clarkson would be able to leave this afternoon. The original paper which was circulated is at the bank.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN CHURCH.—For some time past the ladies of this congregation have been busy in working up a lot of useful and fancy articles. These are to be exposed for sale this evening in the basement of the church, on B street, near Ninth. The affair will take partake largely of a social nature, and a cordial invitation is extended to all who may feel inclined to attend. The exercises will begin at 8 o'clock, admission being free.

A NEW CHURCH.—Rev. Alfred Gielleh, pastor of the German M. E. church, near Union Ridge, Wash., is in the city interviewing citizens for the purpose of obtaining assistance for the erection of a house of worship in the growing German settlement in that point. The Hon. Mr. Lindsley having donated a two-acre plat of ground for that purpose, the society has undertaken the building of a church 24x30, to cost about $500.

HE SAYS SHE DESERTED HIM.—William Holzhauer began an action for a divorce in the circuit court yesterday against his wife Gertrude, whom he married in New York on the 15th of April, 1885. The ground for the suit is desertion of his wife and children, which occurred on the 25th of December, 1887. Plaintiff prays for the custody of his two sons, aged 17 and 25 years, respectively.

HOUSE TO PORT TOWNSEND.—Jos. Charles F. Swigert, late state auditor of Illinois, was in the city yesterday, on his way to Port Townsend. He is the head of a syndicate owning a large amount of property at Port Townsend, and which has secured street railway and electric light franchises in that city.

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From 5 A. M., G. M. T., November 20, 1889.

Place of Observation.	Bar.	Ther.	Max.	Min.	Rain.	Wind. Dir.	Wind. Vel.	State of Weather.
Portland	30.00	50	58	48	.06			Cloudy
Cape Mendocino	29.72	52	60	48	.00			Fair
Roseburg	30.12	48	60	38	.00			Rain
Red Bluff	30.10	06	80	44	.00			Cloudy
Sacramento	30.14	02	74	46	.00			Cloudy
Angeles	30.12		74	50	.00			Cloudy
Spokane	29.92		58	32	.00			Cloudy
Walla Walla	30.06		68	30	.00			Cloudy
Fort Canby	29.82	12	58	48	.00			Fair

Local Report.

Time.	Bar.	Ther.	Relative Hum.	Direction of Wind.	Velocity of Wind.	Rain fall.	Weather.
5 A. M.	29.74	49	86	S	4	.02	Cloudy
5 P. M.	30.00	49	80	S	6	.01	Cloudy

Maximum temperature, 56; minimum temperature, 43; height of river, 8 27 A. M., 3.6 feet; change in past 24 hours, 1.0 feet.

	Normal.	Mean.	Departure from Normal.	Excess or deficiency since Jan. 1.
Temperature	48	50	2	809
Precipitation	1.02	.09	.07	3.44

Total precipitation (rain only) since 1870 date, 8.15; average precipitation from July 1 1889, to date, 11.96; deficiency in precipitation from July 1, 1889, to date, 3.81.

TO-DAY'S WEATHER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Forecast until 8 P. M. Thursday.—For Oregon and Washington: Clearing weather.

PASSENGER LISTS.

OVERLAND.

Northern Pacific—Passed Elliston Nov. 20: W. Herrin, M. J. Maloney and wife, H. A. Gibney, S. H. Phebe, M. Morris, Mrs. W. Iverson, O. R. C. W. E. S. Shaw, Miss E. A. Lyon, A. Hoyt, Mrs. Boothel, John McGregor and wife, Mrs. M. O. Hollins and wife, Rev. E. Sidney Williams and wife, representing the American Congregational Union of the Pacific coast, A. J. Parker, Frank Blethen, Mrs. F. D. Reed, W. G. Stafford and wife, J. Charlton and wife, and 182 immigrants.

Passed Medford to arrive over the O. & C.: E. T. Barkhausen and wife, Mrs. F. O. Meeker, Ben Selling, Mrs. J. H. Laster, F. O. Bowling, George Forrest, J. G. Earle, W. C. Marshall, E. D. Smith, Fred Lee, Mrs. Smith, B. A. Cain, W. H. Lord, H. Trassie, Miss Wilcox, T. B. Wilcox, C. J. Mackison, L. Rosenfeld, J. F. Jordan, H. W. Sybers and wife, Mrs. George Fitch and thirty-eight second-class.

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THE HISTORICAL METHOD.

Several journals of denominational Protestantism have taken notice of an article that recently appeared in THE OREGONIAN, in which it was stated that there was "no logical half-way house between Rome and rationalism;" that "the whole drift of modern thought is in the direction of dividing the intelligent thinking world between Rome and rationalism," and that "the natural and inevitable outcome of Protestantism is rationalism, in which it must ultimately expire." These remarks move several of the journals of "orthodox" ecclesiasticism to protest. Among them is the *Pacific Christian Advocate*, which pronounces the article in THE OREGONIAN "unfair in the statement of the position of those with whom it does not agree, ungentlemanly in its general tone, and more to the same effect; and then, as if to give an illustration of this idea of what is quite fair and gentlemanly in tone, the brother of the *Christian Advocate* remarks that upon reading what THE OREGONIAN said, he "cannot but think of Sullivan in fights, with fists doubled up and protruding muscles, as he dances around the ring shouting defiance to all comers." We fear the good brother has been looking at the pictures in the sporting journals or police gazettes.

This, however, does not strike us as much to the purpose. What is to the purpose is the fact that Protestantism, as a protest against an authoritative and iron-bound ecclesiasticism, in the very nature of things must accept and follow its own logic. Consciously or unconsciously it must do this, is doing it. Hence the steady growth toward rationalism, or elimination of the supernatural from history, in all the Protestant churches. Hence the great change in the method and manner of preaching during the last twenty-five years. The preacher who addresses a cultivated audience knows that he must give something better than discourse based on stale supernaturalism.

But what is a rationalist? A definition given by Dr. Curtis, of the Boston school of Theology, is cited; viz: "In fair relation to what may be called the central trend of rationalism, I would define a rationalist as one who tries to explain the Bible and Christianity and all human experience without the supernatural." This is not a bad definition. And the rationalist can answer that the Bible and Christianity and all human experience can be and are explained without the supernatural, and that there is no need of the supernatural to explain them. Human history—we are not speaking of the origin of man or of his destiny, but simply of human history—and the Bible, Christianity and all human experience are certainly contained within human history—proceeds always in a natural and, so far, order. The more it is studied, the more clearly it is seen that invariably there are adequate causes; that there is regular and orderly sequence of events; that the Bible and Christianity, as all other writings and religions, must have grown out of human and historical conditions. It is a shallow answer to say that this would banish the divine presence from the world, for the divine presence is in man and is continually working through man; and the manifestation of it is seen in the entire history of the intellectual, moral and spiritual progress of the race. Of this development the Bible itself is a result, yet under purely human and historical conditions; so is Christianity; so is every religion the world has known.

Toward this historical and rational interpretation of the Bible and Christianity, Protestantism is moving much faster than many who confess it perceive or realize. The process is eliminating the miraculous or supernatural from the domain of history and allows a rational explanation of the development of the moral consciousness of man. These results the world needs, and will have, to satisfy its intelligence. It will not rest on systems of theology formulated by men who themselves were but groping toward the light, and attested by miracles that never could have happened.

THE RED RAG TO THE SOUTHERN BULL.

The New York *Sun* nominates Governor Hill of New York for president in 1892, and Governor-elect Campbell of Ohio for vice president. Governor Hill is very strong in New York, but during his recent trip South he ventured to speak as follows:

"You have within your borders vast numbers of an unfortunate and long-oppressed race—left suddenly by the result of war to their own resources, untutored, superstitious, and helpless, but patient docile, and ambitious; it is your interest, as it is your duty, to lift them out of the estate in which fate has placed them, and help them to assume the responsibilities of citizenship."

Those were sensible words and timely spoken, but although they were uttered by a Northern democrat they acted as a red rag to the Southern bull, and Governor Hill was denounced as heartily as John Sherman would have been had he spoken them in a republican campaign speech. The Charleston *News and Courier*, the Montgomery (Ala.) *Advertiser*, and the Memphis *Avalanche*, all severely score Hill, not only for these words but for his complimentary words of congratulation upon the industrial condition of the "New South." The Memphis *Avalanche* thus replies to Hill's words concerning the negro problem:

"At this juncture the South would never give its support to a candidate who believes that it is in the power of the South to make the negro a model citizen by spending money to educate him. If that were true, gold would be poured out in a solid stream from every hamlet in the land for that purpose.

"It is not a question of money. Money will do many things, but it will not make a mummy or raise the negro to the standard of the Caucasian. Every dollar which has been spent for the education of the negro, has been so much worse than thrown away. Governor Hill will kindly retire to the rear. We want none of him.

"We beg to suggest to Governor Hill the propriety of confining his campaign to the Eastern states. He has a great deal to learn before he can profitably address an audience of Southern democrats."

The words of Governor Hill that have called down upon him this denunciation are about the wisest he ever uttered, and yet their delivery has cost him the support of the South for the democratic nomination in 1892.

The solution of the negro problem is not a sectional question, for it concerns the North as well as the South; but the South resents all discussion of it as bitterly as it once did the discussion of slavery. She protests and storms, the moment any man of sense and candor suggests that the negro question must be solved; because it cannot be hidden or dodged or whistled down the wind much longer without serious political and social disaster.

The South contemptuously treats the negro as a nuisance and almsance, the sure way to make him a growing nuisance and menace every hour. Governor Hill is charged with ungraciousness in pointing out what the South calls "the skeleton in her closet;" but the trouble is that the negro problem is no simple skeleton of past infamy, like slavery. It is a live, present issue, which may become by neglect or abuse a deadly social ulcer and a political peril. The negro is in the South to say, and no rhetorician can hide about the "domination of the African over the Anglo Saxon" can excuse the South for refusing to lift the colored race up to the level of the high responsibility of citizenship instead of stamping him down into the mud of illiteracy and practical peonage. Respect for their political rights, and colorless justice under equal laws, recognizing the fact that the negro is a citizen to be regarded and treated as such, will ultimately command the negro's confidence, while the present policy will only perpetuate existing race division and antagonism, leading ultimately to disunion and disaster.

Furthermore the insolent answer, which the South makes to every remonstrance against its present policy is not lost upon intelligent and patriotic democrats of the North who see plainly that there will always be a formidable republican party to overcome until the South listens to remonstrance and reforms its policy. There are thousands of democrats in New York state who are in hearty sympathy with the following rebuke recently administered to Mills, of Texas, by the Brooklyn *Eagle*, one of the leading democratic papers of that country:

"One of them [the things that Roger Q. Mills does not understand] is that until the present generation is dead and buried the South can't afford to indulge dictatorial airs or assume a swaggering manner. Her probationary period hasn't ended yet. She cannot discreetly do many things that would pass unchallenged if they were done by the North. She is still in a certain sense under bonds for her good behavior. We have condoned her terrible offense and taken her back to the family fireside, but we expect her to conduct herself with a strict regard to the proprieties of the new situation.

"A few days ago the complacent author of the Mills bill, forgetting the considerations above recited, raised his voice to give notice that the democratic minority in the next house of representatives would not permit the republican majority to change the rules. The manner of uttering this proclamation mated with the substance of it. It was that of a man who proposes to have his own way no matter what betides. His tone was an echo of the old South—a voice from the era of secession and war. I, Roger Q. Mills, say so and so; and so and so it shall be. Majorities have no rights which Southern statesmen are bound to respect, unless they are Southern majorities."

A HUMANE PROPOSITION.

A proposition submitted to the City Board of Charities a few days ago by a number of responsible and capable woman physicians of the city relative to medical and surgical treatment for indigent and suffering women is one which, it may be hoped, will be accepted. All that these physicians ask is permission to form an association that shall be recognized as auxiliary to the Board of Charities, which will provide for women suffering from structural diseases, such medical and surgical attendance by physicians of their own sex as their condition requires, and an apartment suitable for carrying out this work, with such plain furnishings as are necessary.

In addition to the plea of humanity that urges compliance with this charitable and generous proposition there is a recognition of an underlying sentiment of sensitive and womanly feeling in connection with this subject that appeals strongly to the sympathies of women and commands the respect of men. Physicians, from a devotion to their profession and familiarity with its practice, come to regard with impatience, not to say vexation, the feeling that prompts many women "to bear peculiar ills unrelieved" rather than undergo treatment necessary to their cure, unless a woman physician is within call. Even the most stoical of these, however, must sympathize with the feeling that causes indigent women, who cannot choose their own physician and receive private treatment for their ills, to shrink painfully from appearing, or utterly refusing to appear, before a class of students for such treatment.

A more humane, and at the same time a more charitable proposition, in the fullest and truest sense of the word, than that which these women physicians have made to the City Board of Charities in this connection has never been presented to a public institution in this state. In the interest of this class, miserable through poverty and bodily suffering, the latter of which often to a great degree prevents them from earning a comfortable living, it is hoped that the organization to which this appeal is made will not through any quibble of expediency refuse to accept the assistance which it offers.

That there is work for this auxiliary to the City Board of Charities is plainly manifest in the pale faces, weak movements and languid attitude of many of the poor creatures who ask its kind offices in procuring work for them. To be physically able to work is one of the first requisites to success, even in the most menial callings, and that so many women fail to give satisfactory service in simple lines of housework is in a great measure due to bodily ills that afflict them and make their lives a burden. The humane mistress, realizing the situation, spares such "help" all that she can, and is, in consequence, herself overworked or imposed upon, while the exacting one, who does not recognize the right of a woman who has to work for a living to have feelings, makes life a burden to the weak creature for a few days, more or less, and dismisses her, hoping added another chapter to her experience with incompetent help. Wholly to remedy this condition of affairs is not possible, but it may be greatly mitigated by an opportunity such as the proposed auxiliary to the City Board of Charities will furnish for the proper treatment of the ills that heavy handicap hundreds of women in their enforced struggle for a living. There is in the proposition the true essence of charity, which considers the feelings of indigent and afflicted women while offering to relieve their sufferings and give them strength wherewith to fight life's battles on the lowly plane of endeavor which underlies the comfort, health and happiness of homes.

PROTECTION CONSTITUTIONAL.

Jeff Davis, Senator Vest, of Missouri, and Grover Cleveland all agree in declaring that there is no constitutional warrant for so exercising the taxing power, as to protect our own industries against foreign competition, and all agree in calling this affirmation the "doctrine of Jefferson and Jackson." The absurdity of this assertion is effectually exposed by George Ticknor Curtis, a steadfast Bourbon democrat, but nevertheless too learned and honest a student of American history patiently to endure ignorant assertion without contradiction. The first congress included fourteen men who had been members of the convention which framed the constitution, and Washington, who signed the first tariff bill, was president of the convention. Of this first tariff act Mr. Curtis says:

"The law itself, and the debate in the house of representatives which preceded its passage, show not only that the constitution authorized protection of our own manufactures and products, but that, as American statesmen, the members of that congress considered it obligatory upon them, in levying the duties, to so levy each one of them as to preclude, as far as possible, all injurious effect on our own manufacturers, artisans, mechanics and laborers. Not only did they do this, but they never went so far in levying the duties as to encourage the establishment in this country of manufacturing and producing industries that did not then exist among us at all. In other words, they made a prospective protection as well as one that would operate to the benefit of existing industries. A list of articles on which duties might be laid, was brought into the house. Each one was taken up separately, and separately debated, and on each the questions discussed were: What duty will the article bear, how much revenue will it yield; and what will be the effect of that duty on our own manufactures and products, and on those which it is desirable to encourage and build up, although they do not now exist. The whole schedule was framed accordingly; each duty was laid with reference to both duty and protection, and the preamble of the bill, declaring the object for which it was passed, mentions both revenue and protection, and puts them in the same rank."

Mr. Curtis recites these facts and points out that the situation of the United States at the present day does not differ from that of 1789. The question of constitutional power and the question of policy are the same; the only difference is that the amount of revenue to be raised by this form of taxation is enormously increased. In conclusion Mr. Curtis says:

"Mr. Jefferson feels as do all the states, they have power to protect the industries of their own people, but that the government of the United States has not power, in levying its revenues, to protect the industries of the whole country. On the contrary, the men who made the first tariff of the United States under the constitution, held that this was one of the chief purposes for which the constitution was established."

MORALISTS AND REFORMERS.

A Mr. Peebles and a Mr. Brown were walking down street on Sunday night last and entered a cigar store. It was raining and Mr. Peebles purchased an umbrella, an article that many cigar dealers keep for sale. Thereupon Mr. Brown, who is a holy man, delivered a lecture to the dealer upon the sin of selling umbrellas on Sunday—though it is not reported that he remonstrated against the sale of cigars on that day. Mr. Brown himself sells umbrellas on week days, and therefore takes an interest in the moral aspects of the case as to umbrellas; but as he does not sell cigars on week days and perhaps often buys them on Sundays for his own consumption, he makes no complaint against the sale of cigars on the holy day.

As a seller of umbrellas on week days, Mr. Brown's moral and spiritual nature was deeply outraged upon witnessing the sale of an umbrella on Sunday, and he not only remonstrated then and there against the profanation, but encouraged Mr. Peebles to have the dealer arrested for violation of the Sunday law. Mr. Peebles was nothing loth. He too was deeply wounded in his moral nature by the wicked conduct of the dealer who had sold him an umbrella on Sunday, when his proper business was simply to sell cigars. Accordingly he had the dealer arrested and arraigned as a criminal in a court of justice.

Mr. Peebles swore to the complaint against the dealer, and Mr. Brown appeared as the chief witness. The offense seems to have been proven beyond a doubt. Mr. Peebles testified that he bought the umbrella in that particular shop on Sunday. Mr. Brown testified that he saw Mr. Peebles buy it and was in fact in the company of Mr. Peebles when the dealer responded with criminal willingness to Mr. Peebles' desire to purchase an umbrella. As two good citizens, deeply interested in the morals of the city, they therefore appeared in a court of justice to crave the law against the man who would sell an umbrella on Sunday. If he would confine himself to the sale of tobacco and cigars on that day, or if his neighbor would merely sell beer and whisky, these two excellent citizens would not feel it a duty to protest; at least they are not on the record as protesting. But the moral turpitude of the cigar dealer who sells an umbrella on Sunday moves them to righteous wrath. Mr. Peebles, as the purchaser of the umbrella, was the proper person to make the complaint, and Mr. Brown, moved, as he says, by the moral aspects of the case, since he himself sells umbrellas on week days and therefore feels tides of indignation rolling in upon his soul as he sees the man who as he feels, should confine himself to selling cigars and tobacco on Sunday, a so selling umbrellas on that day, adds greatly to the impressiveness of this effort to promote holiness by appearing as the principal witness for the prosecution.

Every attempt to enforce our Sunday law, in a literal and absolute sense, is excellently calculated to bring to the front such reformers and moralists as Messrs. Peebles and Brown. There are possibilities in man of which the student of human nature would know nothing were they not drawn out by opportunities like this. Messrs. Peebles and Brown have given us an example in the matter of enforcing the Sunday law which cannot be praised too highly as a contribution to the support of true morality and religion. The lesson or illustration they have given us must increase public detestation of all that is small, mean and despicable. Admirable teachers are Messrs. Peebles and Brown. Nothing else that they could possibly have done would show up the Sunday law and themselves in so clear a light. Morality is justified of her children, and this is as true of pinchback morality as of the genuine article.

NOT EXACTLY "THE REPLY COURTEOUS."

William Waldorf Astor has written an article in the *Cosmopolitan Magazine* in which he one says at and otherwise opposes the efforts of Chicago to secure for herself the Columbian Exhibition of 1892. In reply to an article by Senator Farwell in behalf of Chicago, Mr. Astor said:

"The writer further advances the architectural magnificence of Chicago private residences as a logical reason for placing the great Exhibition within their precincts. Chicago is the 'London of America,' possessing metropolitan imperialism,' and worthy of the designation of 'the young giant of the prairies.' Houses, he declares, are palaces. We know them well, those palaces, all of which were built with borrowed money, and most of which today are mortgaged from cellar to stone to skylight. We know them well, those palaces, where every sign of wealth abounds, and where the front door is opened by a housemaid. We know them well, those palaces, whose occupants are all out on their coast-cars, as they used to sit in New York seventy years ago, when our 'palaces' were built on twenty-five-foot front lots, and when social life was as primitive in the extreme."

This moves the Chicago *Tribune* to wrath, and it proceeds to lift the scalp of Mr. Astor in this vigorous style:

"Waiving the objectionable insolence contained in this extract is this kind of stuff an argument for New York or against Chicago? Is it anything more than the sporting of an idle plutocrat, who has been attacked by the industry of his progenitors in skinflint and sordid small polar animals and vending them at 5 per cent profit to hire a butler to attend to his front door, and who does not consider it in good form' to sit out on his front door steps of a summer evening as they did? Mr. Astor has a mind above stock-breeding and farm products. 'We in New York,' he says, 'conceive the significance of this exhibition to be something higher than cattle, hog and live stock. We are not in mind the agricultural show the senator, in states.' He does not want any reminders of horses, cattle, sheep and hogs, the great business of the country, of the products of the horny-handed farmers, of the iron, steel and metals, of the cotton of the south, or of the products of the coal mines, the mines, the fisheries, or of the various industries of the nation. Such things would only tend to remind him of family traditions and pedigree. They would be strikingly suggestive of bear skins, mink skins, beaver skins, cat skins, dog skins, and the skins of skunks and polar rats. The leader by which he climbed into the fifth story window must be taken down so that it may not be seen by the visitors. William Waldorf Astor does not care to be regarded as the purveyor of the pelt trade, but as one of Mr. McAllister's 400, who do not sit on their front door steps of a summer evening and whose housemaids do not answer bells. He does not cherish any resentful feeling against William Waldorf for his desire to conceal the humble agencies which have made him the outcome of policy pedding. On the other hand, when he comes to this city to see the World's Exposition, Chicago will take pleasure in showing him how and turn in all stages of immature age, and will exhibit to her parks and attractions, from reindeers, buffaloes, seals, bears, foxes, wolves, otters, alligators, and monkeys, all wearing the identical kind of skins from the profits of which the great grandfather founded the house and family of Astor and which have enabled him to live in his own town alone from to pay the respects or attention to his front door, but to keep his family off the front steps of many evenings.

"After this reply to the personal insolence of the descendant of the 'poultry peddler,' the *Tribune* pays its respects to the insolence of New York thus:

"In reply to Mr. Astor's contention that New York is the only proper place in this country for the holding of the World's Fair, and in answer to his vulgar and important snubbing at Chicago, we have this to say. New York is not able to organize and conduct a fair of this kind to a successful issue. She has never but one fair, and that was a conspicuous failure. The only successful fair on a large scale ever New York was held in Philadelphia. The New Orleans exhibition, though not a complete success, was more successful than New York's. She has not the enterprise or public spirit to organize even such fairs as are held annually in Cologne, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Atlanta, Louisville, Minneapolis and San Francisco. She has not the requisite public spirit. She is the principal entrepot where toll is levied upon everything and every person that arrives within her gates. Instead of exhibiting that sentiment of public spirit which induces her people to work together with fraternal feeling and to develop their city and the country about them, she is a disintegrated mass of selfish rascal and internal rivalry, a menagerie of gamblers and speculators, living upon their knock gambles and the rest of the Union. As a complete community she only successful product she has to show is the political brotherhood of spoilsmen organized for public plunder and known as 'Tammany Hall.' Can Mr. William Waldorf Astor honestly believe that the world wants to go to a city whose chief attractions are Messrs. Grant and Grady's corrupt Tammany gang on the one hand and Mr. Ward McAllister's dud 400 on the other? Better than this, the world's esteem is the city where the honest dollar answer the ring bell and the people sit on their front steps ready to welcome the visitor with hearty Western greeting, and where the world will come to study the resources and developments of this great country, which have no interest for Mr. William Waldorf Astor, because its citizens sit on their front steps of summer evenings to enjoy the cool, delicious lake breezes and welcome to their hospitable homes visiting acquaintances and accredited strangers, whether they happen to have dollars to answer the color bell or not."

TRUTH OF HISTORY.

Senator Vest in a recent article says of the national election of 1888:

"In the many states of New Jersey and Connecticut the democrats were successful, whilst in the great military states of the Northwest, which had furnished the soldiers who conquered the South, but where there were but few manufacturing establishments, they were defeated.

"The reason why the democrats were beaten in the Northwest was because the Northwestern states are the great farming states, and for because they were the great military states that conquered the South. If there were any great 'military states' at the Northwest, in distinction from the Middle states and New England the fact would be shown by the number of men furnished to the armies of the Union. The only Western states that furnished more than their quotas to the armies of the Union were Illinois, which furnished some 14,000 more; Kansas, which furnished over 7000 in excess of its quota, and Ohio, nearly 7000 over its quota. Indiana, Michigan, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota were all behind on their quotas—Wisconsin over 17,000, Michigan over 7000, Iowa over 3000 and Minnesota some 1000. On the other hand, Massachusetts furnished 7000 more than her quota, Rhode Island over 4000 excess; Connecticut 11,000 more than her quota, Vermont 1200 more than her quota. New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey were behind their quotas by 38,000, 47,000 and 16,000 respectively. Of the total of men furnished the armies of the Union, New England, the Middle states, West Virginia and the District of Columbia furnished in round numbers about 1,350,000, and the rest of the country, including Missouri, Kentucky, Tennessee, Arkansas (and 93,341 colored troops) furnished 1,334,000; so that the forces that conquered the South did not chiefly reside west of the Ohio river."

IN TRIVIAL CAUSES.

The American vendetta, as we find it murderously waged in the Kentucky and Tennessee mountain districts, generally has its origin in the most trivial causes of offense between families. The original cause of offense may be several generations old, but the "blood atonement" once provoked is as religiously insisted upon as it once was in the island of Corsica. In 1841 the great French novelist, Alexandre Dumas, visited Corsica, and asking a friend to explain the cause of the terrible war, which had for ten years devastated the village of Sollacaro, received the following reply:

"One of the Orlandi chickens ran into the Colonna's backyard, and when the Orlandis went to get the Colonnas insisted that it belonged to them. The Orlandis threatened to bring them up before the justice of the peace, and then the mother, who was holding the chicken, wring its neck, threw it at her neighbor's head, and killed her."

"Very well is your cat ill?"

Then one of the Orlandis picked up the chicken and was about to strike the old woman who had thrown it at his sister, when one of the Colonnas, who unfortunately had his gun loaded, fired and killed him on the spot.

"And for so many lives has this quarrel cost?"

"Three have been killed."

"And all for a miserable chicken that was not worth twelve sous."

A vendetta that had endured in Corsican fourteen centuries ended only in 1819 by the shooting of the last surviving males of one family. A reconciliation was so rare that it was a great local event, and was made in public before the mayor. As in Kentucky, everybody in a Corsican village took sides with one or the other of the principals to the quarrel. The Corsican vendetta is dead in Corsica, but flourishes still in Kentucky, has its origin in the same trivial causes and is as relentlessly prosecuted as it ever was in Corsica.

ST. PETER INFLATION.

The action of the "silver convention" at Denver last week foreshadows an organized effort to make congress authorize the free, unlimited coinage of silver dollars, or, failing in this, to compel the secretary of the treasury to inter $4,000,000 of silver a month instead of $2,000,000 a month as at present, repealing that portion of the silver act of 1878 which allows the secretary to use his discretion as to whether he will coin the minimum or maximum amount authorized by this act. Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, Senator Stewart, of Nevada, and his colleague Senator Jones, have already declared themselves in favor of "free" silver coinage, and it is safe to assume that all the mining states west of the Mississippi will support this policy.

But is there any good reason why this new crusade in behalf of free silver should prevail? To answer this question it is necessary to recite the history of our silver legislation. In 1873 the coinage of silver dollars was suspended and the gold dollar declared to be the unit of value. The coinage of silver was resumed in 1878, and when resumption of specie payments came, (January 1, 1879) we again had both a gold and silver unit of coinage and the silver dollar was worth but 90 cents in gold, and has been a declining exchange. The opposition to the restoration of silver as a unit of coinage as well as gold, fairly argued that gold has practically been the standard of our specie circulation throughout our national history. Jefferson, in pending the coinage of silver dollars in 1803. Not one was coined, thereafter prior to the change of standard in 1834. From 1792 to the suspension of silver coinage in 1873 but 3,000,000 standard silver dollars were coined, while during the same time our gold coinage amounted to 478,000,000. Gold is the standard throughout the commercial world to-day, and by every consideration of justice, honesty, good faith and good domestic and foreign policy we are bound to maintain it in this country.

The savings banks of the state of New York, which in 1876 (they as a unit) memorialized congress against the continued coinage of the standard silver dollar, made a protest that deserved consideration. The custodians of these trust funds of the working men and women of the Empire state hold for $248,000 persons the sum of $331,000,000. The number of persons indirectly interested in this vast sum is, of course, very much larger, since in the majority of cases, these depositors represented families—represented the slow accumulations of wages savers of both sexes. The coinage law of 1873 compels the purchase of silver bullion, at its market value, of not less than two millions of dollars' worth each month, and the coinage of the same into standard dollars, for which the holders may demand silver certificates that are receivable for public dues. If the silver dollar should become the unit of value by the flight of gold, every one of these depositors would lose the difference, when paid in lawful money, between the intrinsic value of the gold dollar and the depreciated silver dollar, and the premium on gold would be further met by a rise in price of commodities. This maximum of silver circulation, at par with gold, may be suddenly reached either by increase of silver coinage, as proposed by the Denver convention, or by decrease of gold in circulation. Thus far our stock of silver has increased more rapidly since the resumption of silver coinage than that of silver. The imports of gold between 1878 and 1883 exceeded the exports by $187,000,000. Immigration swelled with its gold this great influx by $50,000,000; our own gold products during this period was fully $200,000,000, and in this way the disaster was averted, which might have otherwise resulted from an excessive coinage of cheap silver money. But the situation cannot, probably, always be maintained. It is a situation that is due to our luck, rather than to our wisdom. A depreciated silver coinage must itself be redeemed in gold or the unit value of specie redemption must sink to that of silver. An able financier as long ago as 1884, wrote of this dangerous situation in these words:

"Whenever our silver coinage shall exceed the amount which will circulate at par with gold, the latter will inevitably disappear from our circulation. Immediately thereafter, gold, having thus become an undervalued commodity, will be rapidly exported. Should the balance of trade turn against us before the maximum of silver circulation at par with gold is reached, gold will be exported to meet it. In either case, therefore, I conclude we must rapidly descend to the silver unit as our standard of value, unless in the latter the balance of trade should turn again in our favor before our stock of gold is reduced to the point at which our silver coin will not circulate at par with it."

Our silver coinage bears none of the stress of foreign trade, but occupies the same relation precisely to it that legal tender notes did during the suspension of specie payments, except that our silver coins have a certain intrinsic value, measured by the price of silver bullion, while the legal tender note rested entirely on the government's good faith and ability to redeem its promises. Now, suppose the situation should turn against us and by the disappearance of gold from our circulation the silver dollar should become our standard of value, what would be the result? Not only our savings bank depositor would, when paid in awful Silver money, suffer, but the principal and interest of the whole debt of the United States must be paid in silver. Our bonds are payable "in coin of the present standard value" and if the government chooses to disgrace itself it can compel the creditor who paid for his bonds in gold of 1.3 equivalent to accept silver or its equivalent. The government in the time of war passed the legal tender act and under this act at one time in 1864 creditors were compelled to accept the equivalent of 35 cents in gold for each dollar loaned before the suspension of specie payments, and by the statute providing for the resumption of specie payments debtors were compelled to pay $1.35 for each dollar borrowed at one time in 1864. Under the present coinage act, if by the increase of silver or decrease of gold the silver dollar should become the unit of value, the people would suffer nearly as much as they did by the legal tender act of 1864 and the resumption act of 1879. And all this possible and not improbable disaster, all this possible and not improbable injustice, will be suffered by the whole people to promote the silver interest and increase the fortunes of a few persons. The ablest statesmen of both parties have always upheld the anti-silver policy, viz: Hayes, Garfield, Arthur, Sherman, Folger, McCulloch, Tilden and Manning. These statesmen all knew that the continued coinage of the standard silver dollar, which has decreased in intrinsic value steadily since 1878, was only playing with fire; that we have escaped disaster thus far by good fortune, but if any sudden change in the situation should take place, either by the flight of gold or the inflation that would follow free and unlimited silver coinage, we should be brought face to face with retribution for our folly. Our clipped silver dollar will always be an impending evil and danger so long as the commercial nations of Europe cling to the gold standard. Gold and gold certificates is our true policy, while silver and silver certificates is a reckless attempt to float the gold dollar and the clipped silver dollar side by side. Some day they will suddenly cease to circulate by side. Gold will rise and silver will sink.

Walton, the brutal wife-beater, now in jail in this city, was once a shining light in the order of Good Templars in this city. It is to the credit of that organization that it was able, for a term of years, to make a comparatively decent citizen of this man, and perhaps not to its discredit that it was unable to reform him, since miracles are not wrought in these days. Such a creature would have to be literally born again and come of a different stock before he would amount to anything in a moral sense. That such men marry and present themselves is a social calamity that has its basis in the deplorable but incontrovertible fact that there are fools among women as well as among men. The records of the police court daily contain the names of the issue of such marriages, making known in the face that they are a financial as well as a social and moral calamity to the community.

In reply to the assertion of Mr. Mills, of Texas, that the result of the late elections was a victory for his peculiar kind of tariff reform, the New York *Sun* says: "Let Mr. Mills hug his delusion and be happy. Only have the goodness to observe, Mr. Mills, that while tariff reform stuck into an off-year platform may be harmless enough, it raises especial Cain in a presidential year. Don't be encouraged."

The democrats may be caught without any able leaders in the next house of representatives. Cox is dead, Ex-Speaker Carlisle is physically a wreck; Randall is confined to his bed, with small hope of leaving it for many days, and Mills, of Texas, is suffering from an affection of the stomach that unfits him for any exciting labor.

PERSONS WORTH KNOWING ABOUT.

Queen Victoria is in hopes that Prince George of Wales will be king of England some day. She likes him better than any of her other grandchildren.

Ex-Postmaster-General and Mrs. Dickinson have been spending the autumn in New York with various friends. For several weeks past they have been the guests of Mrs. Barney, at her country place on the Hudson.

Mrs. Daniel Manning has gone to Buffalo to visit friends until after Thanksgiving, when she will return to New York for the winter. Miss Manning is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Defriahanty, in Albany, until the 1st of December, when she will join Mrs. Manning in New York.

Ex-Secretary and Mrs. Fairchild have purchased a house in New York, where they are now settled for the winter. Report, the people which Mrs. Cleveland presented to Mrs. Fairchild upon her departure for New York in March last, has now become their regularly domesticated in his new home. The house in which the ex-secretary of the treasury is living was purchased in the spring for $30,000, since which time the alterations and repairs have amounted to $20,000. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Watson Gilder are neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Fairchild.

Percival Leigh, who recently died in London at the age of 75, wrote for *Punch* on its birth in 184—, and was a regular contributor for a period of forty years. Mr. Leigh was not known outside of literary circles; early in life he had practiced medicine.

John L. Sullivan has lost his position as sporting editor and his $50-a-week stipend, of which he was wont to sober up every Monday morning after a six and one-half days' jag. Journalism will miss John greatly, but will try to survive the separation.

The offer of $1,000,000 made by Colonel Shepard, of the New York *Mail and Express* to the sultan of Turkey if he will embrace Christianity is as yet unaccepted. And yet there are several Christians who would embrace Mahommedanism with all that it implies for one-quarter that sum.

The first woman enrolled on the list of students in the Harvard Theological seminary is Mrs. E. G. Towksbury. She is the wife of a student in the senior class in the same seminary, and is to take a special course to prepare herself for foreign missionary work, which she will enter upon at the graduation of her husband.

Senator Wolcott, of Colorado, with his brother, Mr. Henry Wolcott, has leased for the season the house in Washington owned by Mrs. Myers, widow of the late General Myers. Senator Wolcott and his brother will prove desirable acquisitions to Washington society, as in addition to their fine personal appearance they are wealthy bachelors.

General John C. Frement is no longer young, for when the next new year opens he will be entering on his 77th year. The old soldier is by no means feeble. He carries himself as erect and his steps seem almost as springy as they were nearly half a century ago, when he made the pathway over the Rocky mountains to the new Eldorado.

Sir Edwin Arnold writes to the London *Telegraph* that in conversation with Whittier he had been praising Emerson, and in meeting that a great authority known to them both had compared the Concord philosopher's style in prose to "the shooting forth of stones from a sack." "Ah, but," said Whittier, "thou knowest well, friend, they are all precious stones."

Ex-Secretary and Mrs. Whitney have returned to their New York house, which has been undergoing extensive alterations for several months past. The ballroom has been enlarged, and when finished will be one of the handsomest in New York. The walls are hung with rare old tapestry, the greater portion of which has been purchased by Mrs. Whitney during various trips abroad.

Charles Deane, the well-known author of historical books, died a few days since at his home in Cambridge, Mass., aged 76 years. For a quarter of a century he was in the dry goods business in Boston, retiring in 1864 to engage more actively in scholarly pursuits, which he had all along made his advocation. His collection of books was one of the most valuable in New England, relating to its earlier history.

SPIRIT OF THE NORTHWEST PRESS.

UNJUST AND UNCALLED FOR.

Astorian: Some one who signs himself "Patricus" gives the *East Oregonian* a vast amount of misinformation regarding the work done on the jetty at the mouth of the river this season. It doesn't deserve answering, beyond the statement of the fact that during the season just closed there has been an enormous amount of work done at Fort Stevens. The jetty has been extended, the work has been pushed, and, so far as material effects and outside appearances go, every dollar has been satisfactorily expended. Perhaps that is where the kick comes in. Major Handbury and Superintendent Hogardt and chief foreman Sconeman have had no use for hummers and incompetents, and have bounced them as fast as they appeared, for the good of the service. For this and other reasons they deserve praise instead of blame at the hands of respectable newspapers.

WHY REED SHOULD NOT BE SPEAKER.

Astorian: The *Astorian* sincerely hopes that Thomas Reed, of Maine, will be defeated for speaker of the house. He is a bitter foe to Oregon, Washington and the Northwest. He looks upon the Allegheny mountains as the Western boundary of the nation and has too limited a mental horizon to be elected speaker of the lower house of congress. The speaker of the house has more influence in national legislation than the president himself. Mr. Reed is a clever and brilliant man, but he is hostile to the river and harbor bill, is a gold bug after Wall street's own heart, and would be adverse to our interests. Major McKinley, of Ohio, a broad-brained, large-hearted man, is our choice, and it would be a good thing for every one this side of the Rocky mountains if he were elected speaker of the Fifty-first congress.

GREATEST SCOUNDRELS ON EARTH.

Wood River Times: If anyone still entertained doubts as to the reasonable character of the Mormon church, these doubts must be dispelled on reading the sworn testimony of so-called apostates. We are glad that this testimony has been elicited in the manner that it has. Because, although many good souls condemned the Mormons and their practices, they did not know just how criminal they were. As one witness well said, in an outburst of indignation: "The heads of the (Mormon) church are the greatest scoundrels on earth!"

THE PRIDE OF THE VALLEY.

Scio Press: Real estate still advances in price in the pride of the valley. Albany and gold is being poured into dirt by the barrel. Property at a spell ago found no takers at $700 or $800, now is eagerly gobbled up at $4000, $5000 and $6000. Yesterday owners of small properties that cost them a few hundred, to-day have a large bank account and can live on the fat of the land if they choose, all garnered from the advance in their realty. Verily, Albany is on top of the grandest tidal wave of prosperity that ever struck the Willamette valley.

THE LIFE WORK OF DOM PEDRO.

Albany Herald: The real and noble life work of Dom Pedro, of Brazil, was, from present appearances, the thorough preparation of that country for the transition from a monarchy to a republic. History will rank him among the most honorable and praiseworthy of the later monarchial rulers of the world, whether the present revolution makes permanent the republic or not.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR THE WEATHER.

Nehalem Journal: It is not "clear and cold" and the roads are not drying up, as is stated on the local page. That was the case yesterday, and may be again to-morrow or some time the coming week. Anyhow, the local page is made up, and we wouldn't change it if it were to snow.

A WIDE-AWAKE PEOPLE.

East Oregonian: Albany is putting her nose in the air in the hopes of scenting some wholesale business. Albany has no crook in her back. Her people are wide-awake.

PREHISTORIC MAN'S WEAPONS.

Interesting Implements Found Near Morrisville, New Jersey.

Attention was directed last week by Dr. Wright, at the opening lecture of the course before the New York Academy of Anthropology, to important recent discoveries of Paleolithic implements by Dr. C. C. Abbott, of Trenton, N. J. As no account of these discoveries has yet been published, Dr. Abbott was requested to state the facts, which he did as follows:

A few days ago he noticed that the Pennsylvania railroad was making fresh buttings in the village of Morrisville, opposite Trenton. One of these cuttings was through a knoll of Trenton gravel some twelve feet deep and 200 feet long. Anticipating that paleolithics would be found, he requested Mr. Ernest Volk to watch for them as work proceeded, preferring that the discoveries should be made by another in order to refute any suspicion as to their genuineness.

When the workmen had reached nearly the entire depth of the cutting Mr. Volk found imbedded in the gravel a fine paleolith of argillite about twelve feet below the surface. It was one of those chipped stones,

FATAL ACCIDENTS.

...y Heller and J. Forbes Killed by a Collision.

...ard's BAGGAGE CAR ...

...ay Be Dies From a Pistol Wound Accidentally Discharged.

...R DEPLORABLE TRAGEDY.

...Yards, Yarrel—The Game of Polo—...ver Editor—Vanisher—Railroad News ...d Street—Town Matters.

...accident, which resulted in the death ...railroad employes, occurred near ...Portland yesterday morning on the line of ...Portland & Willamette railway. Dr. ...Lamb, of this city was immedi... ...ed, and proceeded to the scene ...accident with all dispatch, but the ...ded accident, Barney Heller and ...Forbes, were beyond all medical aid when ...arrived, the latter having died a few min... ...after receiving his injuries.

...R. MORGAN'S VERSION.

...R. Morgan, superintendent of the ...Mc Kenzie, gives the following version of the ...ident, given to a reporter:

"...My train No. 1 stopped at ... to switch out some cars, when the ...ion of the baggage car gave way. A ...ence down an incline near by was ...ed by Sandcar and several men ...ed to it.

"...When they saw the ungoverned baggage ...ing toward them they attempted to ...e. The foreman of the ... and the conductor of the bag... ...ed to them to get out of the ... The men seemed to have lost their ... for they paid no heed ... Three of them took posses... ...the handcar, and began pumping ... with the ponderous car fol... ...ill, with the conductor in the rear. After trav... ...ng a distance of about a quarter of a mile, ...ell, all but on the handcar, and ... ...the baggage car caught up with ... ...Both men jumped off the hand... ...car, but two remained, one, J. ... ...being instantly killed when struck ... ...vehicle, and the other, B. ... ...injured, who, by the way, has ... The deceased were young men ...

...ARBER ACCOUNT.

...Barber, who is conversant with the ... ...ounds of the accident, reads the ... ...ent to an OREGONIAN re... ...morning:

"...At the time of the accident the engine ... ...the train out, and which was ... ...will it, was at the bottom ... ...ing some switching. It has ... ...ctive of the company when they ... ...cking to do, to save time by ... ...cars down the incline to ... ...s, instead of making it ... ...the incline, a distance of ... ...miles. Although I did not see ... ...this morning, several who did ... ...the car containing three men ... ...way down the incline when the ... ...started. The person who ... ...ne of the baggage car in... ...p on the brakes, and ... ...which would have given ... ...plenty of time to get out ... ...brake chain broke, and the ... ...charge of the carless control ... ...the men ahead to jump. ... ...heeded the warning, and he ... ...The other two remained on the ... ...which ran into and thrown ... ...Heller and Forbes had ... ...to jump and I don't see why ... ...others they were paralyzed with ...

...ONER'S JURY'S VERDICT.

...Yesterday Coroner Glisan, deputy coroner of Clacka... ...county, summoned a jury that returned ... ...the following verdict:

...We, the undersigned coroner's jury, in the case ... ...and Barney Heller, find that they ... ...accidental death caused by the collision ... ...baggage car on the Willamette Valley at or near Gla... ...morning of November 20, 1889. We ... ...deceased came to their death by the ... ...brake chain on said baggage car, ...to run amuck and collide with ... ...section car, and which we find was ... ...carelessness of said rail...

A. S. CUNNINGHAM,
L. E. GARDINER,
R. JACKSON,
HENRY CHUCK,
J. JACKSON,
JACOB MILLER, Jurors.

...REE'S INJURIES.

...Glisan, who attended the wounded ... ...ars this office yesterday after... ...learned that Forbes, who died but a ... ...after being injured, received a ... ...in the back of the head about ... ...long, and undoubtedly suffered ... ...of the brain, which caused his ... ...left arm and his legs were fractured, be... ...otherwise bruised and scratched. ... ...half an hour after being in... ...left arm below the elbow was ... ...and from this he suffered ... ...hemorrhage. The left leg above ... ...knee was crushed in such a ... ...that the bone protruded through ... ...Death resulted from shock and ...

...IN THE NEW YORK HOTEL.

...Employes Accidentally Shot by the Discharge of a Revolver.

...report of a revolver in the office ... ...New York hotel, on Front and B ... ...at 6:25 o'clock yesterday even... ...caused the laboring men sitting about ... ...smoking and chatting, while waiting ... ...for supper ...

...moment they saw Robert For... ...of the boarders, rise from his ... ...and again fall back into his ... ...Blood received a stab ball through ... ...accidental discharge of a weapon in the ... ...of Frank Lester. Several of his ... ...carried him to the floor, where a ... ...was laid down to a pillow, but he ... ...One of the men summoned ... ...who arrived about eight minutes ... ...incident, but by that time Forsythe ... ...breathed his last. He only lived three ... ...minutes after receiving the pistol ... ...ball. The ball entered the right lung, ...a hasty examination it could not ... ...whether it passed through his ... ...or not. The wound was a large ... ...Lester's six shooter.

...Over half an hour after the shooting ... ...police presented a scene of confu... ...unprecedented," and Officer Foss ... ...difficulty in keeping the crowd ... ...until the arrival of the coroner's ... ...took the body to the morgue. ... ...deceased was a single man, about 38 ... ...old, and by occupation a cabinet ... ...carpenter. He and boarded ... ...for nearly six months, and ... ...most of the time. He worked ... ...the boat-builder, and also for the ... ...Co. About a week ago he com... ...case of rheumatism, and he then in... ...one of his friends that he intended ... ...to the Dalles, where he had pro... ...work. He was a native of New York ...

...now occurred.

...later, the man whose weapon is ... ...for the death of Forsythe, at once ... ...his self to explain the circum... ...unfortunate affair to the offi... ...Coroner," said he, "was sitting almost directly behind me, not over four feet away. We were all waiting for supper. As I had been sitting some time without changing my position, my revolver began to make me feel uncomfortable and uneasy. I pulled it partly out of my pocket for the purpose of changing it about, and it was then that I dropped it.

"I made an effort to catch it, but was not quick enough, for the next moment it was discharged between my feet. As the revolver struck my leg in rebounding from the discharge, I thought that I was shot. The next moment, however, I heard some one say 'My God, he is shot!' and turning around I saw that it was Forsythe."

Lester has not been in the habit of carrying a weapon, and he armed himself with this one yesterday morning, as he intended to go out into the country to-day. He has always been on the most friendly terms with Forsythe, and most deeply deplores the sad affair that resulted in his death.

An inquest will be held on the remains at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

MR. DE LASHMUTT "ON VELVET."

He Sells Some of His Mining Interests for a Big Round Sum.

During his recent visit to the Coeur d'Alene mines Mayor De Lashmutt sold an interest in his mining properties there to J. R. Smith, the well-known railroad contractor, who is now building the Mullen branch of the O. R. & N. The transaction was a cash one, and amounted to $143,000. Mr. De Lashmutt still retains a controlling interest in the mines, and is now "on velvet," as he has got back all the money he put in to the mines, and profits enough to buy a colt or two for his stud farm. He says he would not take a million dollars for what mining property he has left in Coeur d'Alene, so his creditors, if he has any need not be alarmed.

Mr. Smith, as soon as his railroad contract is completed, will go to Coeur d'Alene, and in conjunction with Mr. Geo. B. McAulay will attend to the management of the mines, which is too much for one man to attend to. De Lashmutt, McAulay and Smith will make a strong combination and if there is anything left in the mines when they get through with working them, it will be down where it is too hot to work.

POLO ON ROLLER SKATES.

A Movement on Foot to Organize a Full-Fledged League in Portland.

The rapid growth of polo playing in the Eastern states has interested many Western cities, so that polo leagues have come to be classed among the leading attractions of young men, who participate in the exhilerating sport not only as a pastime, but also as a health-promoting exercise. Many high-salaried baseball players receive good winter salaries in the East for their proficiency with the hickory sticks on rollers. The managers of the Mechanics' pavilion are interesting the prominent business men of Portland in the organization of a club for this winter's sport. Polo playing is even more exciting than baseball and football when good players are engaged. All of the larger Eastern cities have polo teams, and the sport is rapidly growing in favor. Omaha alone has eight teams.

THE GAME OF POLO.

To those not acquainted with the *modus operandi* of this game a brief outline may not be uninteresting. A polo team has five players, who are technically called the goal, half back, center and two rushers, and when play is called they take their positions at opposite points on the surface. Each player is armed with a stick four feet in length, upon one end of which is a five-inch crook, and is fastened to his armlet by a leather strap that it may not be lost or wrested from him in the excitement of the contest. At each end of the rink is placed a wire wicket three feet high and six feet long, which, in the language of polo, is called a goal. The object of this indoor amusement is to put the polo ball in the wicket, and when this is done a goal is made. The team making the goal the greatest number of times wins the game.

To start the play the ball is placed on a line equidistant between the two wickets. A referee blows a whistle and a player from each team charges upon the ball and attempts to force it into the wicket. Two innings of so many minutes actual playing constitute a game. During the play, if the ball leaves its bounds the referee blows his whistle, and it is placed on the surface where it went out. In this game a player is not allowed to stop or strike the ball when any part of his person is touching the surface, nor to stop, catch or bat it with his hands or arms. If any player other than the goal kick the ball, it is a foul, or to rush at it before the whistle is blown, constitutes the same offense. If a player hold another against the rail or surface, or thrust his stick between his arm and body, a foul is committed.

IT IS NO LONGER "GOOSE HOLLOW."

But Will Hereafter Be Known as "Paradise Valley."

An old resident of "Goose Hollow" wishes it stated that the name of that locality has been changed. The Salvation Army went out there last Sunday and were shown to a vacant block, where they were allowed to beat drums, blow horns, bawl, and make all the joyful noises they pleased. They were delighted with their reception and named the place "Paradise Valley," by which title it must be known and hailed in future. The geese which roam over the vacant lots of the place will now be entitled to be considered birds of paradise, and the inhabitants peris, or angels, or something of the kind. It is to be hoped that no evil spirit may find its way into this paradise, and to this end it will be well that the people there give the Salvation Army a permanent engagement; for if they had been in the original paradise Satan would have given the place a wide berth.

INTERESTING RAILWAY NOTES.

The Car Accountant Department Abolished—Chief Postal Clerk—Personal.

Mr. Joseph P. Craemer, of Omaha, chief clerk of the railway mail service for that division, arrived in this city yesterday morning, in charge of the mail car of the "flyer" which got in at 6:20 o'clock. Mr. Craemer has been in the postal service for a number of years, and his western limit extends to Huntington. He came out with a car, to see that everything worked smoothly on the first trip. He returned on the east-bound train, leaving here last night. The chief is delighted with Portland, and made a thorough tour of the postoffice building here.

Among the numerous changes that the recent stirring up of the affairs of the O. R. & N. Co. has occasioned is the abolition of the car accountant's office of that company. Mr. E. Buckingham, the car accountant of the Union Pacific Railway Company, was out here a few days ago, and during his stay he announced that after the present month the car accounting department of the O. R. & N. Co. will cease to exist, and all the duties hitherto performed by that office will be transacted at Omaha.

Mr. F. A. Burnap, who for the past six years has acted in the capacity of car accountant, will thus be *functus officio*, but provision will doubtless be made for him elsewhere.

This change, together with those already announced, clearly foreshadows what the future policy of the Union Pacific will be in managing the O. R. & N. Co. and its branches, and it looks as though everything will be directed from Omaha, the local officers being merely officers of a division of the Union Pacific. It is rumored, also, that the auditing department will shortly be transferred to Omaha.

Mr. C. H. McKibben, the general purchasing agent of the Union Pacific, will arrive in the city to-day, and it is surmised that he will shake up matters in the supply department.

Nearly all the heads of departments in the O. R. & N. building are out of the city at present. Tuesday evening Superintendent C. W. Johnson left for the Sound on business connected with the company's steamer interests there. He will be gone about a week.

Manager C. J. Smith, Comptroller S. B. Willey and General Freight Agent B. Campbell, accompanied by the manager's private secretary, Mr. Albert Cookingham, left on the Tuesday night's train for Spokane to make a tour of general inspection over the company's Washington lines. They will return Friday.

Mr. Edward Cookingham, assistant to Manager Smith, left on the same train with the party, to step off at the Dalles to attend to company business. He will return to-night.

ARE FURS GROWING UNPOPULAR?

General Decline in the Prices of Hides and Furs —London Sales.

"It is true," said a member of the firm of Dissenger & Co. yesterday afternoon, "that there has been a decline in the prices of hides, and in fact of all furs as well. The best salted hides are now selling for 7 cents a pound; sound medisims for 5 cents; and all other grades for 4 cents. Culls, of course, are worth one-third less. The demand for salted hides is only fair, while the trade in dry hides is very dull. A still further decline may be looked for. Sheep skins are in good demand and bring full prices, estimated on a basis of 20 cents per pound for the pulled wool they furnish.

"In furs there has also been a general decline and no improvement in prices are looked for. In fact, those who are most competent to judge, look for a still further decline. The following prices are now being paid:

Beaver skins, $3 per pound; black bear, from $5 to $20 per skin; brown bear, from $5 to $15 per skin; grizzly bears, from $5.40 $12 per skin; cubs, from 25 cents to $5 per skin; fishers, from $5.50 to $4 per skin; silver gray fox, from $5 to $6 per skin; cross fox, from $1 50 to $4 per skin; red fox, from 25 cents to $1 per skin; martin, from 50 cents to $1 50 per skin; mink, from 10 to 40 cents per skin; large otter, from $1 to $5 per skin; wildcats, from 10 to 50 cents per skin; raccoon, from 10 to 40 cents per skin; coyotes, from 15 to 75 cents per skin.

"These are the prices of skins in prime condition in the winter season. The prices are regulated entirely by the London sales.

"At the sale of seal skins in London on October 30 the prices of Alaska skins showed a slight decline, while the Northwestern and Lobos showed an advance in price. At this sale 100,000 Alaska skins sold at prices averaging 8 per cent. less than in November last; 8332 Northwestern skins obtained prices 15 per cent. higher than in August, and 4297 Lobos skins sold at prices 20 per cent. higher than in February. Seal skins of all kinds are still lower than they were a year ago, notwithstanding slight advance of prices at different times."

WHAT THE SALES SHOW.

The November report of the London fur sales on June 24, 25 and 26 shows that:

Mink sold 25 per cent. lower than in March, skunk sold 15 per cent. lower than in March, raccoon sold 10 per cent. lower than in March, grey fox sold 10 per cent. lower than in March, opossum sold 5 per cent. lower than in March, beaver sold 5 per cent. lower than in March, marten sold same as in March, red fox sold same as in March, otter so d same as in March, black bear sold same as in March, brown bear sold 20 per cent lower than in March, grizzly bear sold 20 per cent. lower than in March, lynx sold 15 per cent. lower than in March.

In a special sale, held in London on October 29 black bears declined again 25 per cent. and grizzly 30 per cent., while brown bears brought June prices.

THE GENERAL OUTLOOK.

In a letter giving special advices regarding the status of the fur trade, a leading London firm says that the business in England has so far been most unsatisfactory, and much the same must be said of the German trade; France, owing to the exposition, has done better, but the Russian trade has been extremely dull and the sales of American furs at Nischny was very depressed. The only two articles really in demand are lustered fur seals and dyed Persian and Astrachan lamb skins, while natural furs of all kinds are not fashionable.

Skunk skins, notwithstanding their moderate cost, sold badly.

Mink, if depending on the continental demand, will have to be considerably lower.

Martin are quite out of favor, and should the Hudson's Bay Company's importation turn out to be a large one, it is to be feared that the article will be lower than for some time past.

American Opossum will not be much wanted.

Beaver skins have been even more difficult to make than with other articles, owing to the high cost; numerous substitutes have been introduced, and the dealers must be fully prepared for a considerable decline, even should the Hudson's Bay Company bring forward a smaller quantity than last year. Otter and fishes have sold badly. Silver and jerseys fox have been difficult to sell at a profit, and will not be eagerly competed for as at the last sale. Red fox have done fairly well, and will, we trust, meet with some demand.

Lynx and white fox are both likely to be very scarce, which will prevent a serious fall. Black bear are in the decline, and considerably lower prices are expected. Brown bear are still in good demand, but only for the finest skins. Grizzly bear are rapidly coming down to their former low level, and wolf and gray fox will be dull.

LADIES' NIGHT AT THE PAVILION.

A Large Attendance—Children To-Night—Police Fund Benefit—Other Events.

The attendance at the Mechanics' Pavilion last night showed that the interest in the eighteen-hour ladies' bicycle contest between Jessie Oaks, Helen Baldwin and Kittie O'Brien is constantly increasing. "Just look at the ladies present," was an expression heard on all sides. This was a fact, for the ladies, in compliance with the kind invitation of the management, had turned out in full force, and what was more, they appeared to greatly enjoy the novel entertainment. As upon the first two evenings the regular three hours' riding was preceded by trick cycling by Kennedy, the Colorado champion, and Master Willie Mulligan.

The ladies' riding was a beautiful exhibition of feminine skill and proficiency on the silent wheel, and the entertainment was appreciated by all present. When the gong announced the hour of 11, the riders passed the starting point in the following order: Oakes, Baldwin, O'Brien. Through an accident Miss O'Brien lost a little over a lap just at the finish, but through professional courtesy and the general demand of the spectators, the only two riders gave her the distance lost, so that in reality they are now even. The score last night stood 233 miles and six laps. This is the distance covered in three nights' riding, or nine hours.

To-night juvenile Portland will be out in full force to witness the tournament, as invitations have been sent to all the public to have their children attend free of charge. The boy trick cyclist will certainly reward the little ones for their walk, and the race will arouse their enthusiasm, as races always do. It is understood that they must be at the pavilion not later than 7:45 o'clock in order to secure seats, as children must be accompanied by parents or guardians.

The pavilion management proposes to devote one of two nights each month to charitable objects, and will lead off on Tuesday next with a volunteer programme of athletics and races, for the purpose of starting a fund for the benefit of sick and disabled police officers. The pavilion managers will to-day place on sale 1000 tickets, and a committee, representing the police, will be appointed to work in conjunction with them—take charge of the tickets, prepare the programme, etc. The programme on this occasion is sure to be a large one, as a number of bicyclists, amateur and professional, club swingers, boxers, wrestlers, runners and walkers, have already signified their intention to compete in the events. The chief of police and other members of the force will be asked to act as officials of the evening.

December 1 will be devoted to local charities, and the representatives of the popular charities are asked to co-operate with the management.

The bicycle race open to amateurs will come off Friday night instead of Saturday.

CHANCE FOR LOCAL BICYCLISTS.

Yesterday a Portland gentleman, well known in sporting circles, called at the Pavilion and left a check for $100 to match any of the three champion lady bicyclists against any whole bicyclist in Oregon or Washington, Merrill debarred, for any distance from 20 to 100 miles; race to take place in two weeks, for $200 or $300 a side. Merrill can have a match if he desires, on condition that he gives the ladies a liberal handicap.

AT TABERNACLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

A Large Attendance—Excellent Discourse—Interesting Services—Etc.

There was a large audience at the tabernacle, corner of East Park and Columbia streets, last night, and Dr. Reese preached a discourse of power on "Abundant Pardon." The text chosen was Isaiah lv: 6, 7—"Seek ye the Lord while he may be found; call ye upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon."

A deep feeling seemingly pervaded the audience as Dr. Reese led them along the lines of thought suggested by the text. "Nothing" said the preacher, "is counted in the economy of God, when it comes to religion, but radical turning away from sinful thoughts and wicked ways. The farther away from God and the truth a man gets the more difficult it is to accomplish such a change; hence the injunction, 'call ye upon him' while he is near.' God is near in childhood, and the children ought to be lovingly pointed to the Savior, ere they get away from God in their thoughts and ways."

The sermon was a heart-searching one, and was listened to with very close attention.

Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Kelly rendered a duet, which added much to the impressiveness of the meeting.

Services to-night at 7:30. Subject of discourse "What Must We Do to be Saved?" All are invited.

ANOTHER MISSING MAN.

An Aged Stock Raiser From Near Ellensburgh Myst Mously Drops Out of Sight at Astoria.

Another man has dropped out of public sight suddenly and Chief of Police Barry and his officers are trying to learn what has become of him. This time it is an old man named J. Bennett, who arrived in this city a week ago last night and put up at the Astor house. He appeared to have plenty of money and old Mr. Warren, the chief clerk, that he was a stock grower and had a large stock farm near Ellensburgh, with some 300 head of cattle on it. He came to Astoria, he said, for a visit only and intended putting in two or three weeks here. He left $200 in the hotel safe, and up to Sunday night, when he was last seen, he drew out all except $55. On that night he took the $55 and went out. Since then no trace of him has been found, and his baggage is still at the hotel.

From what can be learned, Bennett put in the whole of Saturday night in the lower end of the city, playing cards for money. He lost considerable it would seem, as he made a remark to that effect to the night clerk of the hotel when he went there about 9 o'clock Sunday morning.

The missing man is described as heavy set, about five feet eight or nine inches in hight, ruddy complexion, black hair and smooth shaven, with the exception of short, iron-gray whiskers, growing under the chin. He is about 60 years of age and wore a dark blue suit.

WILLIAM RUSSELL CONVICTED.

The "Pal" of Young Ben Deering Found for the Penitentiary.

William Russell, who, in company with Ben Deering, who was convicted Tuesday, robbed the house of Peter Schrantz in Albina on the morning of the 31 inst. while it was on fire, went to trial in the criminal court yesterday morning.

The defense called Ben Deering the "pal" of the young man being tried, but after District Attorney McGinn had finished cross-examining the former his testimony had been shaken to such an extent, that it did the defendant's cause more harm than good.

On direct examination Deering positively denied having been an inmate of a state prison. The district attorney, however, made him confess that he had served one year in the Colorado state prison for larceny. He is a very hard case for a young man.

Shortly before noon the jury returned a verdict finding the defendant "guilty as charged in the indictment." Both of the young thieves will be sentenced this morning and probably taken to the penitentiary this afternoon.

BURN UP THE ASSESSED.

NORTH POWDER, Nov. 18.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I have read your article entitled "Burn Up the Assessed" with a great deal of interest. You have struck the keynote of the whole subject of assessment and taxation. You have placed it upon a common sense basis. If the lawmakers of Oregon will give us common sense laws to work under it will not take us long to work out of the difficulty. The assessment law of Oregon is worse than a Columbia river drag net. The latter will let the little fish escape through its meshes. There are millions of property of all kinds, every year that escapes the notice of the assessors, to say nothing of the unfair and unjust valuation of property in many of the counties. Does anyone believe that Oregon has $20,000,000 less of taxable property than Washington? as is shown by the last assessment. The true policy for the state is to make the expense and burdens of government as light and as equal upon the people as possible. It is the unequal and unjust taxation that hurts. The true principle of government was laid down three thousand years ago, when David said: "He that ruleth over men must be just." The people are not to blame for trying to evade unjust taxation. All business men and property owners know that if their rights, business and property are protected, they must support the laws of the land, and if the laws are made to bear justly upon all, the great majority of the people will obey and support the law.

Let the law give the county assessor the same power that is given officers in taking United States census, that is, to appoint as many deputies as may be required to make a complete list of all taxpayers, together with their property within a given time, compel every property owner to furnish the assessor or his deputy with a certified list of his taxable property at a specified time, and if any taxpayer refuses to give a correct list as required by law, let the same be assessed double. If money, notes and accounts are made assessable at full value, real estate and all other property should be assessed the same way. But if a lot of ground worth $1000 is assessed for $600, a note of $1000 should be assessed for $800, and all other property in the same proportion.

Make the board of equalization for the counties to consist of the county judge, clerk, assessor, and the two commissioners, and the state board to consist of all of the county assessors and the secretary of state, with power to equalize by raising or lowering the assessment in any county to correspond with the balance. Pay each county assessor a salary in proportion to the amount of assessable property he finds and the amount of work he has to do in his county.

J. N. SANDERS.

SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

List of the Deeds Filed for Record in the Recorder's Office Yesterday.

Yesterday 14 deeds, aggregating $17,437, were filed, making the total number of deeds filed since the first of the month, 300; value of the transactions, $676,121 78.

Since January 1st to date there have been filed 5000 deeds, aggregating $12,350,795 15.

DEEDS FILED NOVEMBER 20.

F. B. Holbrook to S. B. Rigden, undivided ¾ lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, blk 2, lots 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, blk 14, lots 5, 16, 17 and 18, blk 1, Riverside add. Nos. 98 $1.

E. A. Marquam, jr., to Henry Meyer, lots 5 and 6, blk 6, Portland City Homestead, Nov. 15; $100.

F. L. Logan to J. H. Toll, lots 3 and 4, blk 12, Park add. to East Portland, Jan. 10, 1887; $50.

P. W. Watson to R. L. Gove, lot 4, blk 39, M. Patton's 2d add., Nov. 19; $400.

L. Feurer to E. W. Maxwell, lot 7, blk 28, Sovereign's add., Nov. 16; $485.

D. S. Tuthill to E. M. Lombard, lots 2 and 3 blk 161, Couch's add., Nov. 20; $5500.

W. S. Jones to Amanda Bilger, lots 1, 7 and 8 and N ½ of lot 2, blk 184, city, Nov. 13; $1.

M. V. Parelius to R. R. McClung et al, lots, Town of Warren, Nov. 20; $2400.

G. Gantz to C. O. Dennis, lots 15 and 17, blk 34, Albina Nov. 16; $1.00.

F. W. Miller to Isabella Rottler, lot 4, blk 6, Caruthers' addition, Sept. 28; $1050.

A. Landerholm to E. Blankholm, 19¾ acres sec. 34, T 1 N, R 2 E, Nov. 5; $1200.

Sunnyside L. M. Co. to F. Ludesher, lot 5 and 6 W ½ of lot 9, blk 16, Sunnyside, Nov. 20; $500.

John Kelly and wife to J. Fitzpatrick, lots 4 and 5, blk A, Dunlavy's subdivision of Riverview, Nov. 15; $1800.

W. Portland A. E. Co. to Emma Marquam lots 1 and 2, blk 38 and lot 8, blk 104, Fulton Park, May 23 $1300.

BOARD FOR DEEDS.

D. Goodsell to R. Lockhead, lots 8 and 9, blk 11 Columbia Heights, Oct. 22; $500.

D. Goodsell to J. McAdam, lots 1 and 2, blk 14, Columbia Heights, Oct. 22; $1500.

R. Livingstone to Paul Labbe, lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, blk 8, Marchmount, Oct. 24. $600.

M. W. Gay and wife to E. A. Duffet al, lots 3, 4 5 and 6, blk 270, Holladay's addition, Nov. 11 $2500.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Deputy Prosecuting Attorney N. D. Simon and wife have moved into their new home, No. 407 E street.

The case of A. J. Frazer vs. Dr. Caples, of St. John's, to recover $45, claimed due for legal services, was heard by Justice Tuttle yesterday. Decision will be rendered at some future day.

Mr. John W. Roberts, a business man of San Francisco, is in the city. It has been about five years since his last visit, and he is greatly astonished at the progress made here during that time.

Mr. C. F. Seal, exchange teller at Ladd & Tilton's banking house, has resigned his position, and left on last night's train for Port Townsend, to assume the duties of cashier of the Merchants' bank of that city.

The numerous friends of little Ray Steel will be pleased to know he has so far recovered from his recent severe illness as to be able to set up a part of each day, and hopes are now entertained of his speedy recovery.

Mr. C. W. Lomker has been seriously ill with erysipelas and malarial fever for about three weeks. The worst is now over, and he is improving, and probably will be on the street within a week if he is so fortunate as not to have a relapse.

United States Signal Service Observer B. S. Pague, after an extended trip through Eastern Oregon, during which he visited Union, Weston, North Powder, Walla Walla, Baker City, La Grande, Pendleton and other towns, returned to Portland yesterday morning.

Mr. Deardorff, whose place is located on the motor line near Mount Tabor, yesterday brought to the city a crate of strawberries of the Captain Jack variety, that were as fascicious and full sized as any raised in August last. Another evidence of the prolificness of our climate and soil.

THE EASTERN FLOODS.

Rivers Still Rising in Some Sections—The Damage Not Great.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Nov. 20.—The flood reached its greatest hight here this morning, without doing any serious damage in the city, other than the filling of cellars and the caving in of sewers, etc. The railroads are badly damaged.

THE RAIN CONTINUES.

OLEAN, N. Y., Nov. 20.—The heavy and incessant rain of the past two days has caused a flood in the river similar to the one last spring. The river is rising at the rate of ten inches an hour, and the rain continues. Property along the lowlands is in great danger.

THE SUSQUEHANNA RISING.

LANCASTER, Pa., Nov. 20.—The Susquehanna river at Columbia is rising rapidly. Very high water is anticipated to-night.

RAVAGES OF THE SURF.

LONG BRANCH N. J., Nov. 20.—At high tide this morning the surf cut almost through Ocean avenue, above the Hotel Brighton, where a big cut was made last winter. The bluff was also damaged in several places between the ocean pier and the Howland hotel.

KNIGHTS OF LABOR IN TROUBLE.

Ex-Representative Byrne Arrested and Powderly and Wise to Be Apprehended.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 20.—Ex-Representative J. Byrne, of the Knights of Labor, was arrested at Scottdale to-night on a charge of conspiracy, preferred by ex-Representative Collagan. The information includes Gen'l Master Workman Powderly and Peter Wise, the local labor leader. Powderly will be arrested on his return from Atlanta, and Wise when found. The suit grew out of the letters Powerly published in the *Journal of United Labor* last year. Collagan also alleges that he was boycotted and injured in his business by the Knights of Labor, through the influence of Byrne, Powderly and Wise.

THE MORMON INVESTIGATION.

A Witness Refuses to Testify and Is Committed for Contempt.

SALT LAKE, Utah, Nov. 20.—In the Mormon investigation to-day, Charles Penrose flatly refused to answer the question as to the number of wives he had. His counsel again called the court's attention to the fact that President Cleveland had granted Penrose amnesty, and thought the court had no right to compel witness to answer. The court decided that witness was in contempt, and he was committed to the penitentiary until he had purged himself. Penrose was taken to the penitentiary this afternoon. He is preparing a written statement to lay before the court to-morrow.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Cardinal Haynold has been prostrated by a stroke of paralysis.

Fearful storms are reported in the Black sea. The sea of Azof is ice blocked.

The Chinese government has refused to grant the concession for a telegraph line from Siberia to Pekin.

Gallagher & Baer, wholesale dry goods merchants of New York, have failed. The liabilities are expected to be about $100,000.

Governor Cooper, of Colorado, took a sudden departure for Chicago and New York last evening. By some the governor's trip East is considered significant, as it was intimated some time ago that all of the Western governors would be called together in secret at Chicago to consider the World's fair location.

Marquis, the late democratic candidate for lieutenant governor of Ohio, has decided to contest the election of the republican candidate.

At San Salvador the national palace was burned Tuesday night. The government archives were totally consumed. No lives were lost.

Men of all grades on the New York Central and West Shore roads are much dissatisfied with their treatment, and it is believed that they will tie up these roads within a few days.

A meeting of ore producers from Utah, Nevada, Idaho, Wyoming, Montana, Colorado at Salt Lake yesterday adopted a resolution opposing Secretary Windom's ruling on Mexican lead ores.

The jury in the case of Matt Black, charged with the murder of J. M. Griffiths, near Flagstaff, in Arizona, was discharged yesterday at Tucson, after being out forty-eight hours and failing to agree.

Seven miners were buried by the fall of rock in the Duffield mine at Pegaunce, Mich., Wednesday night. A Swede named Olsen was instantly killed, and two others were fatally injured. One man is yet in the mine.

There is a serious epidemic of measles in Lota and Coronel, Chili. The disease carried off upward of 300 children in July and August. Public meetings are to be held in Santiago to protest against the introduction of more immigrants.

Narcisso Batillo, an old-time and noted Mexican resident of Los Angeles, died yesterday. He had lived in Los Angeles fifty-seven years. He was the first member of the legislature from the southern part of California. He was 76 years old.

The department of state has been informed that the Haytian government will appoint Hannibal Price envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Washington. Price has been prominent in the politics of Hayti and was recommended by President Salomon.

A Barbarous Deed.

Brooklyn Eagle.

Æneas, dear, imprimured the beautiful queen of Carthage, this state, as one summer evening, with expansive thought, they wandered on the sugar-beet shore.

"Æneas," "Speak queen of the seas," the goddess-born replied: "Say on, was it what her haben gebabr haba already?" "Tell me one thing," she sighed and her wistful eyes looked up into his like dreams of starlight and one thing and another; "tell me one thing." "But one Phœnician Dido? A thousand," he replied, "come cheaper; they by off for all orders over 500." "Nay," said the unhappy queen, "but one." "Unus, sed a taste," said the pious Æneas, quoting from Æsop's grammar, which he had read when a boy, "ok, a sollaker; eyther is correct!" Silent a moment was the wretched queen, and then she spake her thought: "If a billy goat is a butter" —Æneas responditon, and looked at her as though he had been caught between third and home, and she went on. "Would you call a nanny goat a buttress?" He, with strange frenzy bred, as if that he just remembered it was lodge night, and with headlong haste he sneaked aboard the first grip outward bound to Troy, and beat his way to Rome by way of Herkimer.

Getting Off Street-Cars.

A St. Louis physician asks if men are naturally wiser than women, if they learn more readily from experience and observation. He watched one Sunday evening at a certain street corner the passengers who alighted there for three hours, and gives the following as the result of his observation: Twenty-two ladies got off the cars, sixteen with their faces to the rear, three got straight off the car, and three with their faces fronting the same way the car was going. During the same time, at the same place, forty-five men got off. Thirty of these had their faces the way the car was going, eleven got off straight, and none with their faces turned backward. There is only one proper way to get off any vehicle, that is, with the face turned toward the direction in which it is going or would go if it was in motion—right foot first if getting off on the right side, left foot first if on the left side.

Their Favorite Songs.

Life.

Corporal Tanner—"Out in the Cold World."

Elliott F. Shepard—"And Every Day Will Be Sunday Over There."

Susan B. Anthony—"Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms."

Chicago—"Blow, Ye Winds of the Morning, Blow, Blow, Blow!"

The Sugar Trust—"In the Sweet Buy and Buy."

Cornelius Vanderbilt—"I've Fifteen Dollars in My Inside Pocket."

A Suicide at Denver.

DENVER, Nov. 20.—Mrs. Nellie Benn shot herself through the left breast at an early hour this morning. Poverty and disappointment are said to be the cause. Her husband, E. S. Benn, reached home at a late hour, and, after looking at his dying wife, jabbed a small knife into his own breast, and then swallowed a dose of morphine, but was pumped out. The woman will die.

Will Never Forgive.

Philadelphia Press: The payment at this late day of $.93 to a Wisconsin soldier as his share of the reward offered by the government for the capture of Jefferson Davis is a bit of offensive partisanship which our friends, the enemy, will never condone, never! We don't exactly approve of it either, and for this reason that the original sum of $200 ought to have been accompanied by a letter from the very hour the great traitor was captured.

The Trial of Navassa Rioters.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 20.—In the Navassa rioters' trial to-day, some of the negroes testified as to the plot to kill the bosses and end the existence of a deplorable species of slavery on the island. The bosses were very cruel and most of the food was not fit to eat.

Take the Oregon Short Line for the Eastern one-hundred-and-twenty-one hours shorter than any other transcontinental line. Elegant new dining cars, Pullman palace sleepers, free family sleeping cars run through to Denver, Omaha (Council Bluffs and Kansas City. Union ticket office, 8 First street, corner Oak.

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THE UMATILLA SURVEYS.

Gen. D. W. Taylor Makes a Statement to a Reporter Regarding Them.

He Explains His Action in the Matter and Disposes the Charges Made by Commissioner Lewis A. Groff.

Some time since, the announcement was made through the telegraphic columns of THE OREGONIAN that Lewis A. Groff, commissioner of the general land office, had charged Surveyor-General D. W. Taylor with being responsible for some 300 errors in the survey of the Umatilla reservation. A few days ago General Taylor received the letter containing the charges from Commissioner Groff, and ever since that time has been examining into the matter.

A reporter called upon him yesterday afternoon for the purpose of getting a statement from him on the subject. The general had just dispatched a long letter to Commissioner Groff in answer to the charges when the reporter called.

General Taylor's Statement.

In regard to his connection with the alleged errors in the surveys, General Taylor said:

"In June, 1887, this office was instructed to advertise for proposals for making a complete survey of the Umatilla reservation, and for allotment surveys on that part of the reservation to be reserved for the Indians. At that time the regulations of the general land office provided that all surveys should be advertised and awarded to the lowest responsible bidder.

"There was also a provision that the entire cost of the work should not exceed $10 000. From a rough estimate of the number of miles that would probably have to be run, I was of the opinion that nearly all this amount would have to be expended.

"In accordance with instructions, I advertised the work in the usual manner for thirty days and in response received some thirty bids from surveyors throughout the state and adjacent territories, the estimates varying from about $11,000 to $4500. James E. Currin and James E. Noland made a joint bid which was the lowest received. Although I knew nothing of the character of the men from the Umatilla reservation, I regretted the necessity of having to award a contract at the rates specified in their bid, especially as I had a short time previous written to the department urging the necessity of having the rates for public surveys increased.

"Mr. Currin and Mr. Noland were both strangers to me, but had the reputation of being competent, reliable surveyors. Mr. Currin had executed several surveying contracts under my predecessor, Surveyor-General Tolman. They came to the office and

EXAMINED PLATS OF OLD SURVEYS

On the reservation and instructions for the new work, and expressed themselves as satisfied and willing to enter into the contract at the rates set forth in their bid. Under the regulations then in force I could not do otherwise than award them the contract, which was accordingly done.

"The contract with the special instructions for executing the work was transmitted to the commissioner of the general land office, and in due course of time approved by him. I might here add that all the other bidders above Messrs. Currin and Noland stood ready to take the contract in case it reached them, and two or three of them were not so very much higher in their estimates.

"These surveys were completed early in November, 1887, and returns made to this office in the following spring. The plats and transcripts of the larger part of this work were transmitted to the general land office early in October, 1888, and the examination of the work in the field should have been made that fall, but owing to the examination of the appropriation for inspection of surveys it could not be done.

"While the deputies were making their allotment surveys they discovered that, within the bounds of the diminished reservation as fixed by the Umatilla commission,

THERE WAS A SHORTAGE OF ABOUT 10,000

Acres of agricultural land. The department was informed of this, and a new commission had to be appointed to visit the reservation and see if the statement of the deputies was correct. Upon an examination the commission found that the shortage actually existed, and recommended that the boundary of the diminished reservation should be enlarged so as to include the additional agricultural land needed. This recommendation was carried out and necessitated additional surveys to be made for allotments,—and this blunder, or oversight, on the part of the former commission practically caused about a year's delay in allotting the lands to the Indians.

A CONTRACT WAS AWARDED.

In February, 1888, a contract was awarded Mr. James E. Currin for this additional work. In the latter part of February, 1889, I was informed that the secretary of the interior was very desirous of having the surveys executed by Currin and Noland examined in the field, and in view of the fact that there was no special agent of the general land office available for duty in Oregon, I was instructed to furnish that office with the name of a thoroughly efficient and reliable person to whom this work could be safely trusted. I thereupon named Mr. James A. Warner, of Albany. In the latter part of March I received authority to appoint Mr. Warner as special examiner for the work and was furnished with a copy of the instructions to be issued to him. But before I had time to notify him of his appointment, I received a telegram to take no further action in that respect, but to appoint Mr. B. F. Douglass, as he had been ordered here for that purpose. Mr. Douglass was one of the regular inspectors of the general land office. He proceeded to the reservation and commenced his inspection of Currin and Noland's surveys and also of the later surveys executed by Mr. Currin. He submitted his report to this office on August 20, and I had but a limited time in which to examine it, as it was transmitted to the commissioner on the following day in response to a telegram asking for it. Examiner Douglass reported

QUITE A NUMBER OF DISCREPANCIES

In measurements and also found some differences in descriptions of corners, but not such as in his estimation justified the rejection of the work, and therefore recommended that the said surveys be approved.

"In transmitting the examiner's report, I stated to the commissioner that while irregularities in measurements and other discrepancies appeared to exist between the examiner's returns and descriptive field notes, yet in view of the fact that nearly two years had elapsed since the surveys had been made, I was of the opinion that the work was fairly done, and concurred in the recommendation of the examiner that the surveys be accepted as of a year after the plats and transcripts had been forwarded to Washington, and were virtually out of my jurisdiction.

"I had no authority to send the deputies back to the field at this time to prove their work or correct it, if in error. This power I considered was vested in the commissioner of the general land office, and optional with him whether he should exercise it or not. I did not suppose that he would consider any suggestion of that character from me. I was of the opinion that under the circumstances nothing remained for me but to recommend the rejection or the approval of the surveys as it stood.

"If the deputies deem the irregularities reported by the examiner were of sufficient importance to justify a rejection of the work, for, with the exception of some eight or ten discrepancies four, of which were just as liable to be errors on the part of the chainman employed by the examiner, the result of the examination developed the fact that the work had on the whole been fairly well done.

"By the commissioner's letter of November 2, he compares the examiner's report with the report of the deputies and calls particular attention to the various discrepancies. After carefully going over it, find that where the greatest differences in measurement occur, they are at places where they do not affect the areas of the land in any way—being in several instances distances on the reservation boundary to where they pass monuments in the city of Pendleton. There are also several differences to where lines cross traveled roads. Anyone acquainted with the country near the reservation is well aware that roads there are not permanent fixtures, but are constantly changing. There are, however a few cases where differences in measurements are

NOTED THAT SHOULD NOT EXIST,

And, if I had had the authority, would have been glad to have sent the deputies back to the field to last such places, and correct the same if necessary. The examiner failed to find a few corners along Wild Horse creek, but attributed it to the fact that a stake corner could have been washed out or a stone covered up with rubbish during the rainy season. With the exception of a few corners along the creek and in the cultivated fields (where the corners had been ploughed out) the examiner found every corner and, with a very few exceptions, the agreement in chaining was very satisfactory. The greater number of the criticisms in the commissioner's letter regarding the field work were topographical differences in the descriptions of corners as found by the examiners and as reported by the deputies. They were not, however, of such character as prevented the examiner from easily determining just what corner he was at, and that is the vital point in perpetuating a survey.

REGARDING THE CRITICISMS

Relating to the plats, I will first say that when the returns of the Umatilla surveys came into the office we were very much crowded with work, having the returns of four contracts already in, viz: Allotment surveys on the Grand Ronde reservation, and also on the Warm Springs reservation, and public surveys adjacent to Lake Warner and to Lake Malheur. It therefore became necessary and I was authorized to have the office work on the Umatilla surveys executed by special clerks. While, as a general rule, the services of a good draftsman can be secured, it rarely happens that you can find one who is familiar with the preparation of maps of public surveys, as required by the regulations. Nearly all the plats of the reservation were made by clerks who had had no prior experience with this class of maps.

"In going over the list of discrepancies I find that more than 150 of them were not made on the original plats, and must have been made in preparing the duplicate copies. Many of the omissions are small guiches or hollows, and occasionally a cattle trail, the omissions caused either by the inexperience of the draftsman or his overlooking them, not deeming them of sufficient importance to show on the map, and in many cases the discrepancies are of a trivial character and would not seriously interfere with the utility of the maps. There are some errors in the plats that should not have been made and for which the draftsmen are to blame. However, I do not think any set of maps of like character, and executed by draftsmen not thoroughly experienced in this particular kind of mapping, would stand the searching scrutiny to which these Umatilla plats have been subjected without a great many discrepancies being discovered. The greatest number of errors are in the interior of sections, and were caused largely by the failure on the part of the deputies to take full notes of topography when they were running their sub-subdivisional or allotment lines.

In running the section lines, the crossings of roads, gulches, etc., were noted and their directions—but in running the cross lines through the sections the roads and gulches were often not noted, but the clerk in making his plat would complete his topography by connecting these pieces of roads or gulches with the corresponding ones on the opposite side. In doing this, he of course was compelled to cross the interior line, and thus make an apparent error by showing on the interior line a road or gulch that was not mentioned in the notes of this interior line, but should have been in all probability. In some of the townships where so-called roads run in almost every direction it is an easy matter to

ROLL UP A LONG LIST OF SUCH ERRORS.

When these plats were being made there was so much work on hand that I had no chance to examine or check the topography, but had to leave that entirely to the draughtsmen. I was kept constantly busy, with the assistance of my principal clerk, in work which was considered of the most importance, viz., the examination of the returns of the various contracts—ascertaining if the courses and distances of the work correct, if closings of exterior and subdivisional lines were in limits, and, in so far as my time would permit, checking over the calculations of areas of fractional lottings, which on the surveys of the reservation and also at Lake Warner, were very numerous.

While the plats were being made, I called the deputies to the office for explanations and supposed that whatever omissions existed in their topography had been supplied.

After receiving the commissioner's letter and comparing the plats and field notes, I found that the notes of the subdivisional lines returned by the deputies failed to show considerable topography that should have been taken and which had been shown on the plats by the draughtsmen, as nearly as they could determine it from what was actually given.

THE SURVEY SUSPENDED.

The commission has suspended the survey as it now stands and directed that the deputies shall return to the field and make the necessary corrections at the earliest date possible.

He has also directed that new plats shall be prepared, in conformity to the corrected field notes. Just what corrections are deemed necessary is vague and indefinite.

"In regard to my recommending the acceptance of the surveys, I would say that Mr. Douglass, who was sent from Washington for the express purpose of inspecting this work, after a critical examination in the field lasting over two months, and having ample opportunity to become thoroughly acquainted with the character of the lands surveyed, and knowing the actual condition of existing corners, in spite of a few irregularities in distances, reported in favor of the acceptance of the work, as he was satisfied the survey as a whole had been fairly well done. In view of this and the further fact that many of the discrepancies were of a technical nature, I felt justified in recommending its approval."

AT THE THEATERS.

"Montezuma" Still a Drawing Card at Cordray's —"Around the World in Eighty Days."

Wind nor weather seem to have any influence in diminishing the audiences that nightly crowd Cordray's popular theater. Mr. R. E. French, in his melodrama, has made a favorable impression and the topical song of Frank Colbert drew vociferous encores last evening. "Montezuma" again to-night.

"AROUND THE WORLD IN EIGHTY DAYS."

The following is from the Spokane *Review*: The company played there two nights to large business. They appear at the New Park theater next week:

"A large audience witnessed the Fleming company in their spectacular play, "Around the World in Eighty Days," at the Concordia last evening. This company well merits the praise that has been given them. Their scenery is excellent, and every scene in the play was well represented. The costumes were rich. The march of the Amazons was well done, and the closing scene of act second, when the beautiful widow is rescued from the funeral pyre of her husband by the eccentric Phineas Fogg and his followers, was well received. Though Fogg was to go around the world in eighty days, he had time to fight a duel in every harbor and rescue the ladies. The part of Passe Partout, by A. Harris, the servant of Fogg, was well rendered. Dalton, as John Archibald, did well and was frequently applauded. The Rocky mountain scenery, and the attack of the red men, were exceedingly picturesque and realistic. The hall was filled, and the entertainment thoroughly enjoyed by all.

A special matinee for ladies and children will be given on Thanksgiving day at 2 o'clock.

EX-GOVERNOR WOODS'S CONDITION.

A correspondent writing from Forest Grove under date of November 19, says: "The within statement is authentic and I wish the friends of ex-Governor George L. Woods, who are anxious as to his condition, to note the fact that he is greatly improved in health, so much so, that he and his father walked down town to-day and returned home, a distance at least three-quarters of a mile. He is gaining rapidly in strength; appetite is improving, and the difficult digestion which has been present, is almost wholly absent. The digestive juices are improved and all the nourishment he partakes of is entirely assimilated. An excruciating pain has been occurring in his case which has of late occurred periodically, and this tormenting trouble has about disappeared."

"THE CAT THAT WORRIED THE RAT," ETC.

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EAST PORTLAND GLEANINGS.

The Baby Home Management Issues a Call for Aid.

The Business Men's Carnival a Grand Success—Accessions to the Library—Mr. Wagner's Statement—Miscellaneous Notes.

The superintendent of the Baby Home, Mrs. E. A. Harbin, has prepared the following report on the work of the Baby Home and makes a stirring appeal to the public for help:

The Baby Home is a duly incorporated body, having its officers and board of directors, Mrs. S. M. Kern president, Mrs. A. S. Wells secretary, Mrs. A. L. Keenan treasurer, Mrs. E. A. Harbin superintendent and R. M. Robb financial agent. Letters of inquiry or communications of any kind should be addressed to Mrs. S. M. Kern, Portland, or Mrs. E. A. Harbin, East Portland. The object of the Home is to secure and care for homeless infants under three years old, and when there is no one to claim them to find permanent homes for them by adopting them into good families. This home is the only one in the state for this special purpose. That there is a need of such an institution the number of applications for admittance shows, as does the actual number cared for, seventy-four children having been sheltered since January 1, 1889, as reference to the register shows. That the Home is conducted on an economic basis the books will show; that it is arranged and conducted as far as possible with the means available, hitherto with special reference to the laws of cleanliness and hygiene will be evident to any one who will take the trouble to investigate, the comfort and well being of the inmates being the end aimed at.

M. H. Clark, M. D., of East Portland, who was for many months in charge as medical attendant at the home, and Dr. More, also of East Portland, who at present holds that position, can answer all inquiries on that score. The county sends its infant paupers here, where they receive every attention necessary to their comfort, at a cost to the county of only $8 a month each. Homes are soon found for them, and then the county and city are relieved of all the expense, as well as all future danger from a class of street Arabs and resident beggars, who, in time, by propagating their kind, would fill the almshouses and jails, thereby saving one child from the depths—a race of paupers and most likely criminals are prevented coming into existence. Many mothers having young children to support place them in the home, and are thus relieved of the care of their little ones, become self-supporting and can pay a low rate of board for their children. It is safe to say that every child's name registered on the books of the home represents a broken heart. The helpless little ones receive the comforts of home life, which cruel fate has deprived them of receiving from the hands of their natural protectors.

The Home is now nearing the end of its second year. It is not endowed; it is in debt; it is hampered for the want of means. At this date it shelters nineteen children, eleven of that number being under 1 year old. We plead to-day for help to carry on this work. Many have already done something for this struggling institution, but this support is inadequate. We appeal to the county officials, to the city councils, to the boards of trade, to the boards of charities, to churches, to Sunday schools, to benevolent institutions, to women unions, to men's associations, to secret societies, to the rich and the poor, to the farmer and mechanic, to give something to help shelter, feed and clothe these helpless infants. No gift is too small to be of use and to be appreciated. Let us suggest some of the methods by which you might help in this work by only a little self-denial and thoughtful acts. Twenty women might give $1 each per month; that would pay house rent. Others might pay 50 cents or even 25 cents per month, and buy fuel. Even idle sewing girls and clerks in stores might contribute a few pennies a month, even though they did without a pretty ribbon. They would be laying up treasures in heaven. Even the inmates of those unmentionable places, where we vaguely know many women live, might do something for these. All the ones, for, we doubt not, many a heart there has a tender memory of baby faces and tiny fingers. And the men, what will they do? Do what you will or can, but do something. Give us the hundreds we need to efface an indebtedness, if you can. If you cannot, give according to your means. Even the day-laborers might save a few pennies for a Thanksgiving donation to the little ones, for whom no fond papa ever brings sweetmeats or even kisses. The farmer might bring a cord of wood, a bale of hay, a dozen chickens, a barrel of pork, or firkin of butter or lard, a load of fruit, fresh or dried, or vegetables. Thursday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock is visiting day, and the public are cordially invited to come and see the babies.

BUSINESS MEN'S CARNIVAL.

The Business Men's Carnival given in Armory hall by the Y. M. C. A. last night was a grand success in every particular. The hall was so crowded that it was not possible for all who came to get in, and only about two-thirds were able to get seats. There were forty-five business houses represented by young ladies dressed in costumes that displayed the respective businesses. These costumes in some instances were very beautiful and expensive. Many were unique and funny, and all attractive.

At about 8:30 the young ladies representing the business houses formed in procession and followed by eighteen girls with shamguns and beautiful uniforms marched into the hall and paraded so that every one could see them. Everybody was delighted at the display.

The young ladies moving to one side the eighteen girls had their drill. Their evolutions were very interesting and showed that they had been well drilled. Each one wore a jaunty roll cap and sash that were very elegant. At the conclusion of the drill they were heartily applauded.

Then came recitations, vocal and instrumental, by popular talent. Mr. Ed Raymond's character song was a decided hit, while Miss Blodgett gave a recitation with her usual effective manner. After the short programme, refreshments were served, and then closed what was the most successful and interesting entertainment ever given in East Portland.

SPECIAL MENTION.

Among he many elegant and really expensive costumes at the carnival last night may be mentioned that worn by Miss Mary Garner, who represented F. S. Fleming, the undertaker. The costume was very rich, and was made of the elegant satin and silk fabric with which caskets are trimmed. It was the most elegant and elaborate costume, and Miss Garner displayed it with the utmost grace. In her hands she bore a tiny casket elegantly trimmed.

Miss Edith Cason, who represented the White Printing Company, wore an attractive costume. Her dress was covered with about 500 of the firm's cards, and on her head she wore a high hat made of a placard. Her costume attracted much attention.

THE OREGONIAN was represented by Miss Brain, of Portland, and she wore a dress made up of copies of THE DAILY OREGONIAN. In her hands she carried a copy of the paper. It required about 100 copies to make the costume.

MR. WAGNER'S STATEMENT.

Mr. D. F. Wagner, of East Portland, makes the following statement:

Answering Mr. Afterbury's statement in this morning's OREGONIAN, I have to say that I am a boarder in the East Side hotel, and that I am certain he has greatly misrepresented the facts in the case. I was an eye witness to the Holmes affair, and know that there was no gambling connected with it. There was only a game for drinks in connection with that affair, that was settled four blocks from the place in question. Mr. Afterbury has made himself disagreeable to this occupant, and it would seem that the desires to vent his feelings on Mr. Freeman, a man who commands the respect and esteem of the entire public. The residents of East Portland are pretty well acquainted with the circumstances, and will be governed accordingly.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Dr. Dat Rafferty has moved into his new residence, on Brooklyn Heights.

Mr. Wright has been appointed janitor of the Stephens addition schoolhouse.

Mrs. Thomas Hislop has graveled that portion of Fifth street along side his building.

Business carnival will be repeated this evening at Armory hall. Hundreds turned away last night for want of room, making it necessary to repeat. Admission 25 cents. Grand parade and good music.

Ex-Policeman Afterbury has not blossomed found by this time that jamming his head against a stone wall makes no impression on the wall. The temperance element will take no hand in any practical effort to suppress gambling, and Mr. Afterbury will find, if he has not already, that he stands almost alone in such an attempt, however laudable. There is nothing new in his statement, and the only result will be that more caution will be used.

ACCESSIONS TO THE LIBRARY.

Some important accessions have been made to the reading matter of the Y. M. C. A. rooms within the past few weeks. A fine illustrated edition of Shakespeare has been placed on the book shelf. Someone recently made the association a present of twelve numbers of *Frank Leslie's Illustrated Monthly*, which is a valuable accession. It is to be hoped that other similar presents, and will continue to make similar presents, and thus supply the association with an abundance of good reading matter.

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CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

Senatorship Contestants Making Desperate Efforts.

SPEED STRENGTH SEEMS WANING

Probably Fail to Ensure From the Repeal of the Preemption Laws—Debate Only Formal

WASHINGTON Nov 20—There is no diminution in the speakership contest Reed and McKinley are holding their own Mr McKinley is making a strong fight To-night he said he had no reason to believe the members who had pledged their votes to him would change their minds

The Western sentiment is still being worked against Reed The support of Reed is chiefly from Senator Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts and Representative Farquhar of New York Senator Lodge is in favor of the removal of Speaker Reed, is working against Reed Senator Lodge is supported by the mugwump and free trade papers of the East, which the Western people are siding with some effect Western people claim that they will nominate Reed on the first or second ballot They rely upon the solid delegations of New England New York and Pennsylvania to stand by him and give him the heavy vote, which will probably give him the election on the early ballots, as all the other candidates are not as strong claims made by the McKinley men that these delegations will be with McKinley on the first ballot but will go to Reed on the next ballot It is understood that Representative Grow of Montana, is under obligations to support Reed on the first ballot but will do all he can for Reed after that It is believed that the Pennsylvania delegation would name the clerk and a majority of them are for J M Carson But Congressman McPherson is making a strong fight for the place on his personal acquaintance many of the members in the large

LAND OFFICE MATTERS

Right That to Serious Harm Will Come From the Repeal of the Preemption Law

WASHINGTON Nov 20—Representative Cate of Washington still claims that the Commissioner of the General Land Office is not executing the new statutes into effect He says the repeals two pre-emption laws in effect repeals two pre-emption laws in effect repeals two pre-emption laws in effect

VETERINARY SCIENCE

About The Care of Stock and Other Things Farmers Should Know

THE FRUIT INTEREST OF OREGON

The Great Necessity for the Organization of the State Board of Horticulture and the Work It Has to Do

The subject upon which this paper treats is of great importance to farmers generally and in order to do it justice it would require far more space than could be devoted in a paper of this description.

Veterinary science has been no exception when compared with other scientific investigations the art of the professor has exceeded the science of it.

The veterinary profession was largely in the hands of very illiterate people until the middle of the present century, persons claiming to be adepts in the profession and regarded as such by the residents of the in which localities they practiced. Such practitioners in those days often called to their aid good and evil spirits charms and other superstitious nonsense.

The remedies employed in those days to cure imaginary evils were usually far more injurious to the constitution than the disease they attempted to alleviate and their surgical operations were extremely brutal oftentimes adding to the trouble rather than a tendency to its abatement.

The intelligent shoeing of improved domesticated animals whose superior knowledge over the ordinary veterinarian of that day commenced to reveal as the large field for scientific veterinary investigations was open coupled with discriminations in the abilities of different practitioners by prominent breeders of improved stock combined to give new impetus toward the study of the veterinary profession in all of its different branches.

Without a spirit of boasting veterinarians can justly claim that the profession today is as intelligently surrounded as any other profession in the land. The author of this paper will endeavor to avoid technical terms and briefly refer to subjects calculated to interest farmers.

The key to success in maintaining health in domestic animals consists in pure air pure water and healthy digestion. Veterinary hygiene is a subject that every farmer should study also the rudiments of physiology and other sciences.

Prophylaxis is the sheet anchor to success in stock breeding. The old saying an ounce of prevention is worth more than a pound of cure is a true one.

In order for a farmer to intelligently run a complicated piece of machinery he must first know something about its construction just so with his domestic animals to successfully maintain health in his flocks and herds he should first acquaint himself with the reconstruction, or at least require a rudimentary knowledge of physiology. Pure air is very essential for promoting health. The pulmonary capillaries are very delicately constructed and impurities in the air are readily absorbed, which result in abnormal changes in the blood thereby deranging the whole physical economy. Atmospheric oxygen, vitalizes the blood and animal heat is produced by chemical changes in the blood due to the oxidation of the disintegrated waste tissues of the body.

The oxidation of natural waste tissue and the process by which it is liquified and facilitates its absorption has been termed secondary digestion hence it will be readily seen that much depends upon the proper oxidation of the blood for the maintenance of animal health.

Milch cows especially should be furnished with an abundance of pure air, owing to the rapid waste and disintegration of tissue and the close relationship existing between blood and milk.

The process of digestion is a subject that that should engage the attention of every stock feeder. Normal digestion virtually commences from the time food enters the mouth. During mastication in the healthy animal saliva is secreted, and through the assistance of the tongue it is thoroughly mixed with the crushed food in the mouth.

Saliva being a provision of nature has an office to perform. It is an alkaline and converts the starch liberated by mastication into sugar, which is easily and quickly emulsified by the gastric juices of the stomach, and the process of digestion and assimilation are hereby expedited.

Too much we feed to be injurious and is frequently disarrange digestion especially is among horses evidently resulting from a lessened secretion of saliva and a too rapid swallowing of food.

The stomach of the horse being small digestion should be rapid in feeding horses dry feed saliva more abundantly secreted must act on and deglutition is slower the gastric juices of hasten and are more evenly mixed and digestion facilitated. The greatest advancement made in veterinary science more recently is probably the knowledge acquired by the profession of contagious diseases.

The amounts voted to stock owners by the veterinary profession has been enormous which is due to scientific investigations of contagious diseases and the thorough knowledge acquired in that direction.

Some idea of the magnitude and responsibility placed upon the profession can be formed when we consider that the live stock industry of the United States probably represents billions of dollars and that certain and infectious diseases are a continuous menace to this vast industry.

Fortunately the subject of contagious diseases has been so thoroughly investigated and the lawmakers of the land have become awakened to the necessity and importance of enacting suitable laws for the protection of domestic animals against the inroads of contagious diseases until at present the danger of loss from that source is reduced to the minimum.

The subject that should engage the attention of scientist. At present is to what extent are diseases of domestic animals transferred to human beings. Among the principal diseases of domestic animals transferable to the human family are tuberculosis, farcy and glanders.

Tuberculosis for the most serious malady to contend against and all through investigation would probably reveal the fact that thousands of human beings have been sent to the tomb by that dreaded disease known as consumption and there is little doubt that the milk from cows suffering from tubercle is a fruitful source of propagation when consumed by persons having a predisposition to those pulmonary.

Milk not only conveys the diseased products of an unhealthy cow to the human system but that same milk is also a very suitable and convenient receptacle through which the germs of typhoid fever and diphtheria are conveyed to persons. Scientific investigations of diseases, and upon germs and bacillus have given a propagation reveals the fact that these germs can be considerably mitigated and controlled through knowledge and such scientists as Koch and others, the people of the civilized world are indebted under their skill and indefatigable efforts in many of the problems.

It is almost incredible, and nearly beyond comprehension, when we read the statements of writers upon the extensity and reproductive capabilities of microbe organisms.

There is no profession that has done more to withdraw the deceptive veil of mystery from before the eyes of the people and thereby put to flight many of the errors which existed in the veterinary profession with regard to [illegible] and successful investigations in connection with the germ theory would in time [illegible] food taken into the system from the great tendency of the blood becoming saturated or the further continuation of the disease by the inhalation of foul gases carrying with it the germs of the diseased animal [illegible] and [illegible] periodical recurrence.

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Carbon dioxide [illegible] gas) most abundant in the lower portion of the building and as the warm milk begins to flow a current is produced in the cool air and it naturally rushes toward the warm animal thereby affording the warm milk every opportunity to part [illegible] any decomposition elements that may come from the breath, or from other sources of decomposition in the building.

The cow although comparatively a cleanly animal so far as its feeding habits are concerned is nevertheless inclined to be filthy in her posterior or throw off large quantities of mucus which chemically decomposes and develops some form of bacteria, which will float around in the atmosphere to the detriment of the milk and butter from cows kept in the above conditions. Many farmers can afford a loss to know why their milk and butter does not keep well at times and secretly think of the surroundings. The manure being allowed to accumulate around the stable which should be carried away every day and the cows apartments kept scrupulously clean.

The doors and windows should be kept well opened in the day time when the cows are out so that plenty of pure air can circulate through the building so as to dry up all moisture and keep the milk sweet.

The slightest impurities in butter repelled to electrical changes will develop a volatile fatty acid which renders the butter rancid and makes it unfit for human food.

Every experienced farmer knows the bad effects produced on milk by the injudicious feeding of turnips which ought to be a good lesson to the farmer showing the great susceptibility of milk being tainted from improper feeding given the cows.

The investigations of the development of parasites is a subject that should interest stock feeders such as the liver fluke the worm strongylus paradoxus or any other formes coming under the head of entozoa, but space forbids entering into details at this time.

The subject of hereditary transmission demands the attention of stock breeders as a great deal of disappointment and loss results from breeding from unsound animals. Many diseases that were formerly considered accidental are now known to be hereditary in a predisposition to which subsequently in the development of the embryo in the womb [illegible] the predisposition to which subsequently manifested [illegible] the growth and property of the gastric [illegible] but on the contrary they were attributable to those who wrongfully [illegible] the natural rights of the calves for small they [illegible] a right to plant and grow an orchard and if he chooses to grow wormy apples with two codlin moths in every one of them, whose business is it? And if he chooses to propagate 20 000 000 green and wormy apples to run not over his brother whose business is it? In his neighbors do not like it let them build a fence to keep them out of their orchards the same as they do to keep other live stock out.

Such was the reception accorded to the members of the board by far too many of those that they came in contact with in the prosecution of their thankless work. Fifteen hundred copies of the first bulletin were printed and sent direct through the mails so far as the names of the orchardists could be specified throughout the state, and the same were printed in nearly all of the newspapers in the state and Washington territory. Such letters began to come pouring in from all parts of the state for copies of the bulletin and an other edition of 2000 had to be printed and these were nearly exhausted in supplying the demand for them. Very few bottles and boxes of various sizes containing bugs moth and caterpillars of all sizes and complexion began to arrive at the secretary's office until he began to think it would be necessary for him to take a tender purple spray bath in order to keep from getting wormy. Such of these as could be classified and the pedigree given by the secretary were so treated. Others not rated in his knowledge of entomology were respectfully referred for proper classification to Professor Lake of our own State Agricultural College or Professor Riley of the agricultural department at Washington D. C. And while all of this developed the fact that but few knew much about moth when they saw it and many could not tell the apple from the lady bug, the pinebug the enemy of the orchardist and the other his friend and were more likely to destroy the latter than the former because it was much easier done. Let it disappear a desire for knowledge and to do something that would assist in the destruction of the obnoxious insects that was very encouraging to the board.

To give a detailed account of the work performed by the board or even that done by the society during the spring and early summer months would occupy more time than has been allotted me here. Suffice it to say that each county society that visited many of the orchards in their respective districts and when found infested with any insect destructive of the trees or fruit have advised with the owner relative to the best methods to be used in destroying them. In this way very much good has been accomplished and many more orchards visited than could have been possible for any one person to have done as fruit inspector and again a number of commissioners have accepted invitations to address meetings of fruit growers and farmers on the subject of Orchard Pests and How to Destroy Them.

The latter part of May the second meeting of the board was held at Salem and many of the orchards in that vicinity were visited by the board and much valuable information secured of a practical character. The result of this meeting was the issuing of bulletin No 2 which was sent out as far as we had knowledge to every orchardist in the state and the work of visitation continued by the several commissioners.

In August the board held a third meeting at Medford in the Rogue River valley. In this valley are located some of the most extensive orchards in Oregon. The dreaded San Jose scale had been found to have secured a foothold in one of the orchards of this valley and it was deemed advisable to visit the orchards and inaugurate measures that would if possible exterminate them. As this will be about all the board have ever been on to believe and would commend the hearty co-operation and earnest endeavors displayed by the orchardists of Southern Oregon & some of the more northern neighbors.

The fourth and last meeting of the board was held at Portland during the holding of the great exposition. A number of days were then employed in making a careful examination of the magnificent display of fruit there on exhibition and correcting many misnamed varieties. At this meeting the secretary was instructed to issue bulletin No 3 to read of winter apples. Owing to delay in getting some data which is essential in making these out I have not as yet been able to have it printed but shall soon be able to do so. So much in brief as has been the work of the State Board of Horticulture since its organization in April last that it has not been able to do all that it should have done will be conceded by all of its members that it has done all that it could under the circumstances. Every member will maintain to be true that it has done very much good and all that could have been reasonably expected of it. I think every candid man will admit the success of the future will depend in a very large degree upon the support given to the board by the fruit growers of Oregon. No board of commissioners is going to be able to take every consignment and powerful law and enforce it unless the public sentiment backs them. The fresh public sentiment of the people will be found an easily grave in the every pigeon hole.

If the present [illegible] was resurrected by the [illegible] during the following winter and by them [illegible] and further disseminated. Then do [illegible] the amount of [illegible] that [illegible] there were, the little [illegible] on the [illegible] would capture the [illegible] of [illegible] of apple [illegible] and [illegible] with the [illegible] and there [illegible] Oregon [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] county must [illegible] to his [illegible] and [illegible] and woolly aphis will [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

CHANGE AND TRADE

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 20.

CLEARINGS.—The following is a statement of the Portland clearing house: Clearings, $52,190 72; balances, $34,797 63; November 19, balances, $34,797 63.

Receipts of wool to arrive by rail, 1 sack; 1 street car, 40 bbls alcohol, 100 pkgs baking powder, 190 rolls iron, 17 bxs glassware, 190 rolls iron, 915 pkgs nails, 1 pkg agricultural implements, 1 cs machinery, 82 pkgs blums, 275 pkgs bolts, 82 pkgs white lead, 440 pkgs lead, 28 pkgs provisions, 1125 bxs canned oysters, 116 pkgs scales, 1 pkg mineral water, 75 cs soap, 7 cs cigarettes, 0 pkgs tobacco, 7 cs boots and shoes, 555 cs rubbers, 31 pkgs furniture, 7 pkgs machinery, 9 pkgs paper, 130 pkgs stationery, 9 pkgs paper, 46 pkgs paper rags, 8 cs paints, 2 safes, 1 pkg glass, 55 bxs window glass, 2 safes, 1 pkg.

RAILROAD RECEIPTS, past twenty-four hours—16,000 lbs wheat, 892 lbs flour, 10,000 lbs oats, 900 lbs hides, 20 pkgs eggs, 33 pkgs fresh fruit, 55 pkgs dried fruit, 5 bxs green fruit, 30 bbls flax, 300 lbs flax, 3 bxs hides.

WHEAT—There is absolutely nothing doing in the local wheat market. The figures there is no demand for wheat and the market is decidedly dull and weak.

The receipts for the past week were 12,207 centals, principally from Oregon and Washington. Following are the fluctuations of the leading markets:

NEW YORK.	Closed. Opened.	Noon.	Closed. 20th.
	Bid. 20th.		
December	84½	84¾	84¾
May	89½ 89½	89¾	89¾
CHICAGO.			
December	85¾ 85¾	86	86
May	90 90	90	90
	Closed. Opened.	Noon.	Closed.
	Bid. Bid.	20th.	20th.
December	80¾ 81	80¾	80¾
May	85¾ 85¾	85¾	85¾

The weekly London letter to the Mincing Lane, under date of October 4, on the wheat question abroad as follows: "The wheat trade during the past week has remained in the same quiet state as was at the date of my last letter, and there exhibited no great badness, or there has been no further decline. At the moment, there is rather more firmness indicated, especially for good whites such as California, which are worth 10 to 40s 3d, although not been accepted. A few days ago, the Russian announced an increase in the quantity for the United Kingdom, which is to be increased shipments from Russia, California, but for the present are not to maintain the present and we may shortly also a falling off in the deliveries of which holders are not to give way. The most important information this week is the estimate of J. B. Lawes, concerning this year's crop in the United Kingdom. Sir J. Lawes, you know, makes a yearly estimate of the crop, based on the actual results gained on his experimental farm at Rothamsted. Sir Lawes is the only authoritative estimate the agricultural department and its estimate based on anything but a fact, however, that his estimate is not as often wrong as it is right, and that, when it comes to be compared with the later official returns, the difference between his estimates the yield per acre and 27½ bushels (30 to 31 bushels per acre have been the popular idea), and that the product he puts at 69,869,800 quarters. other authorities have put it to be 76,000,000 to 80,000,000 quarters. But Sir J. B. Lawes also did prove to be, after deductions, as he was fast approached to all other authorities, it will be seen that the effect is important, as the United Kingdom would in some years require 8,000,000 bushels more than it has this season than we have so far stated upon. Personally I think the results rather under-rated this year's crop, but I think there is sufficient evidence that it is not so large as was at one time thought, and in fact, it will not exceed 70,000,000 bushels and that our requirements during the season from abroad will not be 160,000,000 bushels. This last estimate of the Rothamsted authority compares closely with the official returns of the years:

	Acreage.	Yield per acre.	Product bus.
1885	2,540,720	27.9	69,589,800
1886	2,564,260	29.0	74,480,000
1887	2,784,555	26.17	70,224,000
1888	2,488,451	26.83	69,314,000
1889	2,510,585	31.24	70,632,000
1890	2,760,558	29.50	82,064,000

The figures have considerable discussion upon the rate of consumption in the United Kingdom, which Sir J. B. Lawes, for instance, puts at 5.65 bus per head and on our present population of 38,140,000 a total of close upon 216,000,000 bus. The Liverpool corn circular 5½ bus. per head is a estimate, which would give for the United Kingdom 210,000,000 bus. As a matter of fact, the actual figures for the five years ending with 1888-89 come out as follows:

	Bus.
Average, 1884 to 1888	75,144,000
Net imports wheat and flour	130,304,000
Average yearly supply	214,448,000
Seed, 3,000,000 bus. per annum	
Manufactures, food, etc., 2,000,000 bus.	5,000,000
Total	206,448,000
Stock on hand September 1, 1889, were 12,000,000 bushels less than on September 1, 1888, which would add 8,000,000 bushels to the above five years' average, making 207,248,000 bushels; hence I believe consumption in the present year will be 200,000,000 bushels, or 5½ bushels per head. The air here is full of rumors of new processes which are going to entirely revolutionize the milling system, now existing. One says here, new dust collectors and cleaning machines are coming out fast, and is called a counterfeit scalper and is said to be the invention of E. Kréliss, of Manchine, as, for instance, that it will do the work of ten centrifugals in half the time with one-tenth the power. It is highly novel and may be worth the attention of American millers.

The following is a statement of wheat delivered to English farmers, imports into the United Kingdom and quantities on passage the week ended 13 below, together with the corresponding period in 1888:

FARMERS' DELIVERIES.

This week	68,560 qrs wheat at 30s 8d
Last week	74,257 qrs wheat at 30s 8d
Corresponding week, 1888	61,912 qrs wheat at 32s 8d
Total since harvest	53,422 qrs wheat at 31s 8d

IMPORTS.

This week	13,000 qrs wheat
	35,000 bbls flour
Last week	183,000 qrs wheat
	29,000 bbls flour
Corresponding week, 1888	271,000 qrs wheat
	34,000 bbls flour
Total since harvest	1,824,000 qrs wheat
	69,000 bbls flour
Average weekly requirements	160,000 qrs wheat
	30,000 bbls flour
Visible supply	4,000,000 qrs wheat
	1,000,000 bbls flour
Quarters afloat	
This week	1,816,000 qrs for U K
	1,000,000 qrs for Cont
Last week	1,720,000 qrs for U K
	1,000,000 qrs for Cont
Corresponding week, 1888	1,400,000 qrs for U K
	1,000,000 qrs for Cont

Bradstreet's: "The lack of foreign demand for cotton is a dullness in the matter of business. Quarters are held much higher than one disengaged ship in port. Of this amount 4723 barrels are valley, and 3493 barrels are Eastern Oregon and Washington. The market is steady and demand good. Quotations, for standards, $4, and outside brands $3 50.

MILLSTUFF—Receipts for the past week were 2421 ctls, of which 612 ctls are bran and 1809 ctls mixed. The market is firm. Quotations: Bran, $15@16; shorts, $17@18; chopfeed, $17 50@20; ground barley, $22 50 per ton. There is some scarcity of feed owing to the difficulty of getting it to market caused by low water; this, however, is but temporary.

OATS—Receipts for the past week were 8611 ctls. The market notso firm. Quotations: 40@43c.

ONIONS—Steady with a fair business. A good Oregon crop in. Quotations: 80c@$1.

VEGETABLES—The market is firm with an active demand. Quotations: Tomatoes, 50@75c per twenty-pound box; cucumbers, 30c per dozen; Oregon cabbage, 1½c per pound.

POTATOES—Receipts for the week were 830 sks. Quotations: New Oregon, 85@90c; sweets, 2c per pound.

GREEN FRUITS—Receipts for the past week have been 2595 boxes. The market continues active and very firm. Quotations: Bananas, $3 75@4 per bunch; lemons, $6@7 per box; Oregon apples, $1@1 25 per box, and grapes $1@1 50.

BUTTER—Receipts for the past week were 149 pkgs. Stocks are increasing and the market is only steady. Quotations: Choice dairy, 30c per pound; 60c per roll; good to fair, 25@27½c; common, 15@20c; fancy creamery, 32½c per pound, 65c per roll.

EGGS—The receipts for the past six days have been 187 cases. The market is firm. Quotations: 30@33½c.

POULTRY—The market is easy. Quotations: chickens, broilers, $2@2 50; large young, $3; old, $4; ducks, $4 50@7; geese, old, $7 50@8; young, $8@10; turkeys, 14c per pound.

HAY—Receipts for the past week were 118 tons. Quotations: $15@17.

HOPS—Receipts for the past week, 81,785. The market is firm and stock are well cleared up and into the hands of consumers. Quotations: 6@8c.

HIDES—Receipts for the past week were 44,690 pounds. The market is weak and well stocked, and every indication of increased stocks and lower prices. Quotations: Dry hides, selected, prime, 9@10c; green selected, over 55 pounds, 4c, under 55 pounds, 3c; sheep pelts, short wool, 30@50c; medium, 60@80c; long, 90c@$1 25; shearlings, 10@20c; tallow, good to choice, 3@3½c.

WOOL—Receipts for the past six days were 50,385 pounds. The market is dull and weak. Quotations: Eastern Oregon, 12@18c, according to shrinkage; valley, 18@20c.

The Merchandise Market.

The general condition of trade is fair. The produce markets show little change.

BEANS—The market is firm. Quotations: Small whites, $3; pink, $3 25; bayos, $3; butter, $3 25@3 50; limas, $5 25 per cental.

SALT—The market is firm. Quotations: Fine Liverpool, $18 50, $19 50 and $21; stock salt, $10 50@11 50 per ton.

SUGAR—The market is steady. Quotations: Golden C, 5¾c; extra C, 5½c; dry granulated, 7⅛c; cube crushed, 7¾c and powdered, 7½c.

COFFEE—The market displays an upward tendency. Quotations: Arbuckle's roasted, 25¼c; Java, 27½c; Costa Rica, 22c; Rio, 22c; Salvador, 20¼c.

DRIED FRUITS—Receipts for the past week have been 607 pkgs. Quotations: Sun dried apples, quarters, 6c; bleached, 9@9½c; Oregon prunes—Italians, 8@9c; silver, prunes, 7@8c; petite, 6¼@7c; German, 6c. Pears—Pinnmer dried, 9@9½c; sun dried and factory plums, 6@7c; peaches, 13½@14c; evaporated, 15@16c; raisins, $2 25@2 50 a box; Smyrna figs, 14@15c; California figs, 9c per pound.

CANNED GOODS—The market is steady. Quotations: Table fruits, 2½s; peaches, $1 85@1 90; Bartlett pears, $1 85; plums, $1 65; strawberries, $2 25; cherries, $1 85@2; blackberries, $1 85; raspberries, $2 50; assorted, 3s, $3 50 per dozen. Pie fruit 2½s, peaches, $1 25@1 30; plums, $1 25; blackberries, $1 50; assorted, $1 25@1 30; assorted 3s, $3 50; tomatoes, 2½s, 95c@$1; 3s, $3 75. Sugar peas, $1 20; string beans, $1@1 10.

THE MEAT MARKET.

The meat market is steady. Prices on both live and dressed meats show but slight change. Receipts for the week have been: hogs, 75 head; sheep, 426 head.

Smoked meats and lard—Quotations: Eastern hams, 12½@13½c; breakfast bacon, 12½@13c; sides, 8½@9½c; lard, 8@10½c.

Beef—Live, 3c; dressed, 6@6½c.

Mutton—Live, 2½@3c; dressed, 6c.

Hogs—Live, 4@4½c; dressed, 5@5½c.

Veal—6@8c.

Lambs—$2 each.

Hardware.

IRON—The market has advanced for all classifications, and is stiffening for iron products generally. Trade is brisk in all lines. Quotations: Base, $3 25; Norway, $5 50.

NAILS—There is great activity in the nail market, and prices have advanced 10c per keg for iron and wire, and 20c for steel. Quotations: Iron nails, base, $3 45; steel, base, $3 65; wire, base, $4 20 per keg; 10c off for carloads assorted or straight.

FLOUR SACKS—Quotations: 5c each.

WHEAT SACKS—Quotations: 7c each.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—There was little of the bear ammunition left this morning with which to continue the scare of the past two days, and the temper of speculation again underwent a change for the better. The close was quiet, but strong, and at about the best prices of the day. The final declines are few in number, and for unimportant fractions, while Denver, Texas & Fort Worth rose 2¾, Manitoba 1¾, Pacific Mail 1¼, and St. Paul and Union Pacific 1¼ each.

Government bonds have been dull and steady.

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Money on call, tight, at 2 to 8; last loan 2; prime mercantile paper, 5½@7½; sterling exchange, quiet and steady; sixty day bills, $4 81; demand $4 85.

BONDS.

U.S. 4's (registered)	127	U.S. 4½'s (coupon)	109¾
U.S. 4's (coupon)	127	Pacific 6's	117½
U.S. 4½'s (reg.)	104¾		

STOCKS.

Atchison Ex	116	Preferred	142½
Canada Pacific	73	N.Y. Central	109½
Canada Southern	54¾	Oregon Improvement	48
Central Pacific	34½	Navigation	100¼
Burlington	106¾	Transcontinental	35½
Lackawanna	142½	Pacific Mail	34½
Denver, R. G.	16¾	Reading	41¾
Erie	28½	Rock Island	99¼
Kansas & Texas	9¾	St. Paul	71
Lake Shore	106¾	Texas Pacific	20¾
Louisville & Nash.	80	Union Pacific	70¾
Michigan Central	89	U. S. Ex	85
Missouri Pacific	69¾	Wells, Farco	107
Northern Pacific	32¾	Western Union	77½
Preferred	1 76¼	Am Cotton Seed Oil	28¾
Northwestern	113¾		

BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

BOSTON, Nov. 20.—Closing stocks: Atchison & Topeka first stevens, 116; do land grant stevens, 110; do railroad, 34; Burlington, 107; Mexican Central common, 15; do first mortgage bonds, 66; San Diego, 22.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCK MARKET.

	SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.		
Ophir	$ 4 45	Sierra Nevada	$ 2 75
Mexican	3 75	Utah	70
Gould & Curry	1 80	Bullion	80
Best & Belcher	3 80	Silver Belcher	75
Con. Chollar	6 35	Justice	15
Savage	1 85	Union	20
Chollar	1 75	Challenge	1 20
Hale	1 45	N. B. Belcher	1 40
Hale & Norcross	3 10	Overman	90
Crown Point	1 65	Alpha	45
Belcher	2 50	Imperial	35

MONEY MARKETS.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Consols 97 1-16. Silver bullion, per 302 ounce, 43¾. Bank of England rate of discount, 5 per cent.

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—Sterling exchange, long, $4 81¾; short, $4 86. U. S. bonds, 4s, 127; 4½s, 104¾. Silver bullion, per fine ounce, 95¾.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—Sterling exchange, sixty day, $4 81; documentary, $4 80½. Transfers, 22½ premium.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Produce receipts past 24 hours include 125,200 ctls wheat, most by sub-rail ship, 16,500 qr sks flour, 1900 ctls oats, 700 sks potatoes, 5000 ctls barley.

Freights and charters—Grain freights continue neglected, with a weak undertone. Quotations nominal at 32s 6d for large iron, 33s 9d for small to medium iron to U. K. Havre or Antwerp. The Am ship J. F. Chapman, 2038 tons, has been chartered for barley to New York at 27s 6d.

Wheat—Spot. Owing to the poor foreign demand for California cargoes, exporters are holding aloof from the local market, and the effect is reflected in a dull, weak and lower market. Offerings, while no excess, are larger than the present demand, and some selling pressure is noted. No. 1 shipping is selling in a small way at $1 27½@1 30 per cental. Futures: Transactions are light and the feeling heavier; 200 tons buyer year sold at $1 31¾, and 700 tons at $1 31¾, buyer sea on sold at $1 30¾. Afternoon session—Wheat quiet; buyer year closed $1 31¾; buyer season $1 32¾.

Barley—Spot trading slow. Demand hardly up to local requirements. Receipts continue ample, with larger offerings, and the tendency is towards a lower basis. Choice feed, 78¾@80c; No. 1 feed, 76¼@77½c; common, 72½@75c; brewing, 80c@$1; chevalier, $1@1 20 per ctl. Options dull and lower. Buyer year, 87½c.

Oats—The market is a little more active, but recent large consignments prevent any advance being established in prices. Stocks in city warehouses show an increase at present, although the demand has been constant. Choice feed ranges at $1 30@1 32½; No. 1 feed $1 27½@1 30; No. 2 feed, $1 20@1 25; common feed, $1 10@1 17½; milling, $1 32½@1 35; surprise, $1 35@1 37½ per ctl.

Mill stuff—The demand has eased off. Market quiet, though not quotably lower. Bran, $13@14 50; middlings, $16@20 per ton.

Potatoes—Receipts light. Choice varieties in small supply. Demand steady. Burbanks, 90c@$1 37½; Early Rose, 50@65c; Peerless, 60c@1 per ctl.

Onions—Good demand, and prices firm at 60@85c per ctl.

Hops—Market sluggish. Little or no demand. Nominal, 6@8c.

Wool—Fair scouring demand for suitable wools. Movement Eastward very light. Prices show no change. Oregon Valley, 18@22½c; Eastern Oregon, 12@18c; California, 10@21c.

Butter—Easy.

Eggs—Steady for choice fresh ranch.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET REVIEW.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Trade has changed but little during the past week. The slight flurry and advance in coffee was the most noticeable feature. Eastern overland shipments from California as shown by the Southern Pacific statement continue liberal, though the first movement is slacking up, as the season is about over. Eastern trade for this city is increasing with remarkable strides—as compared with last year. Money is in good demand at the usual rates. The rain of the past two or three days, while not actually needed in many portions of the state, was not amiss, however, and serves to strengthen already favorable prospects for the coming year. The season has been so early that in all probability crops will be planted much earlier than usual, and a larger acreage will result. Green feed is also much more abundant than usual at this time of year. California takes she has made a fine start for 1890.

Cereals continue uninteresting.

Wheat is dull and the price has declined slightly, owing to the advance in freights which has taker just so much off the price of wheat.

Oats are quiet at old prices.

Despite heavy receipts potatoes have sold remarkably well and some kinds have advanced.

Butter has dropped sharply during the past few days and is demoralized at the decline. The tendency is still downward and buyers hold off. The market is unusually low and weak for this time of year and augurs ill for the balance of the season. The decline is due to large stocks of cheap Eastern butter and pickled fall, and the free receipts from Northern dairies and the unusual supply of green feed at this time of year.

Wool is going off steadily at satisfactorily prices.

Hops are dull. Only a few sales are being made, and these at prices below the cost of production.

The live stock market has changed but little.

Trade in dry goods is moderately strong.

Prices in provisions show little variation, but the demand for most kind of provisions is good.

The coal market is still disappointing.

All talk of higher prices later on has now ceased.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Wheat receipts at the seven principal receiving points past 24 hours were 981,000 bushels, and shipments 940,000 bushels.

Wheat—Futures—Unsettled and irregular. December opened ¼c higher, while January, which has ruled comparatively firm, lost a point. Opening prices: December 81c, January 81⅜c, May 85c. Noon—December 80¾c, January 81¼c, May 85. Closing—Slightly better, 80¾c November, 80¾c December, 81⅜c January, 85¼c May.

Provisions—Pork, lower; $6 00 November. Lard, firmer; $5 05 November. Ribs, steady; $5 37½ November.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Grain freights in fair demand. Rates steady at 1½d per bushel on grain per steamer to Liverpool.

Wheat—Spot market quiet and steady. Futures—Trading slow; opening prices show a decline. December 84¼c January 85¾c, May 89¾c. Noon—Shade higher. December 84½c, January 85⅞c, March 88¼c, May 90c. Closed—Firm; November 84¼c, December 84⅝c, January 85¾c, February 87¼c May 90c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Hops—Steady. Coffee—Options opened steady at 5 to 10 points up, and closed firm and active at 20 to 25 points up; sales, 104,750 bags; November, $15 85@15 90; December, $15 60@15 90; January, $15 70@15 90; February, $15 65@$15 90; May, $15 75@15 95. Spot Rio, firmer, fair demand; fair cargoes, 19¼c. Sales, 4000 bags No. 6 at 18¼c.

Sugar—Raw, strong, quiet; fair refining, 4⅛c; centrifugals, 96 test, 5¼c; refined, firm, fairly active.

Copper—Strong; Lake, November, 13.

Tin—Easier, quiet; Straits, $21 30.

Bar silver—95½.

Petroleum opened steady at 100¾, moved up to 110, and closed steady at 110. Stock Exchange—Opening, 109¾; highest, 110¾; lowest, 109¾; closing, 110. Consolidated Exchange—Opening, 110; highest, 110½; lowest, 109¾; closing, 110¼. Total sales, 57,800 barrels.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

BEERBOHM'S GRAIN REPORT.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Wheat—Nothing offering off coast.

Cargoes on passage—Red, wheat firmly held; white very dull.

Mark Lane—English and foreign wheat quiet, but steady.

Mark Lane—English and American flour, quiet.

California wheat cargoes off coast, 36s.

California cargoes prompt shipment, 35s.

Walla Walla wheat cargoes off coast, 34s 6d; prompt shipment, 34s 3d per qr.

Chilian wheat cargoes off coast, 34s 6d; prompt shipment, 34s 3d per qr.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 20.—Spot wheat steady; demand slow; prices unchanged. Futures—Steady; No. 1 California 7s 2½d November, 7s 2d December, 7s 2d January, 7s 1¾d February, 7s 1¾d March, 7s 1d April, 7s 1d May.

PARIS, Nov. 20.—Spot wheat and flour, quiet, but not cheaper. French country markets are dull and steady.

LIVERPOOL, GRAIN MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 20.—Wheat—Firm; demand poor; holders offer moderately. California 7s 2½d per cental.

Corn—Steady; demand poor.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

GENERAL NOTES.

The Clan MacPherson having put out her ballast has gone to the elevator to finish loading wheat.

The Glenriffer finished yesterday discharging coal at Mersey dock.

The Hermione has finished loading at Astoria and is ready for sea. She carries 35,000 half sacks flour and is bound for Queenstown.

The Oaklands goes to the Portland Flouring Mills to-day to discharge ballast.

The Eskdale has been chartered to the Portland Flouring Mills instead of Balfour, Guthrie & Co., as stated on Tuesday morning.

The Ben Nevis goes to Greenwich dock to-day to load valley wheat.

The British ship Westland, which sailed from Astoria August 11 for Liverpool with a cargo of 47,248 cases of salmon, arrived out November 18, taking just ninety-nine days for the voyage, and making one of the quickest trips on record. The Borrowdale, which left Astoria July 17, and intended to try conclusions with the Westland, arrived out November 4, making the voyage in 110 days. They are both smart ships, and their owners may well feel proud of their lates achievements. The Westland was despatched by Meyer, Wilson & Co.

Speaking of quick voyages, probably the fastest time yet made between Astoria and Queenstown was that made by the Caithloch, Captain Phillips, in the fall of 1878. She was forty-four days to Cape Horn, forty-four days thence to Cape Clear, and one day thence to Queenstown, the entire trip consuming but eighty-nine days.

The Milton Park, with a full cargo of wheat and flour, goes down the river this morning ready for sea.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Arrived—Str Columbia, Portland; str Empire, Nanaimo; Br bk Vihalta, Calcutta. Sailed—Str Arcata, Coos Bay; str Alki, Port Townsend; ship Louis Walsh, Tacoma; ship Dashing Wave, Tacoma; ship Kate Davenport, Port Townsend.

PORT TOWNSEND, Nov. 20.—Arrived—Bk Semiride, schr La Gerardie and str City of Puebla, all from San Francisco. Sailed—Bk C. D. Bryant, San Francisco; str Walla Walla, San Francisco; Dktn George C. Perkins, Payta; bk Ceylon, Honolulu.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Sailed—Ship Clarence S. Bement, Portland.

ASTORIA, Nov. 20.—Str Oregon arrived down 8:30 A. M.; str State of California arrived in 9:20, left up 10:50 A. M.; Oceanoma arrived down with Br bk Kooringa 10:30 A. M.; str Idaho arrived down at noon; schr Webfoot, from San Pedro, arrived in at Knappton 9 A. M. Br ship Cleomene, from San Diego, arrived in 2 P. M.

PORT CANBY, Nov. 20.—4 P. M.—Weather cloudy; wind southwest; bar rough.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Notice is hereby given that the P. S. whistling buoy, with the letter "A" in white, has gone adrift from its moorings off the entrance to Yaquina bay, Or. It will be replaced as early as practicable.

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THE MINES OF ALASKA.

F. S. Reynolds, of Juneau, Tells of Their Richness.

Great Wealth Also in the Fisheries—The Past Season's Developments—Stamp Mill and the New Quartz Mill.

Dr. F. S. Reynolds of Juneau, Alaska, was a passenger on the last trip of the Corona from the North on his way for a visit to his former home in Wisconsin. Dr. Reynolds is interested in the silver mining region of Sheep creek, which he says will be one of the richest regions in Southeastern Alaska. He thinks that Alaska will prove a mine of wealth when its resources are fully developed.

"As an agricultural country Alaska will never amount to much, said he to a reporter of the Tacoma *Ledger*, "though I speak with knowledge only of the southern and southeastern portion of the territory, which is too broken for farming. The western section may be better for that purpose. As a timber country I think Alaska is inferior to Washington. Its mines, however, are developing splendidly, and promise to yield enormous outputs.

ITS FISHERIES.

"But greater than its mines will be the fisheries. The coast of Alaska is the great fishing grounds of this country. Their development will be productive of great results and prove the most profitable of any of the latent resources of that territory. I have are now being developed capital having been attracted by the reports of their great value.

DEVELOPING NEW MINES.

"The mining industry in which I am interested exclusively is also receiving new impetus, and the work of developing the new mines is rapidly going ahead. Until a short time ago it was not generally believed that silver ore in paying quantities existed, but the opening up of the Sheep Creek region has demonstrated that the silver mines of Alaska will prove a big thing. The Juneau *Free Press* of October 19 states the case correctly with reference to these mines in the following article:

"The past season's development work on the Silver Queen on Sheep creek now shows enough ore in sight to warrant the expenditure of placing a concentrator and other working conveniences on the mine and the owners contemplate for next season's work the erection of a mill of ten tons capacity, a tramway from the mine down to the valley, and possibly a wharf and a narrow gauge railway to the end of the tramway up in the valley. All this work will necessarily involve the expenditure of a large amount of capital, but competent mining men have estimated that there is now about $500,000 worth of ore in sight in the two levels, which is more than enough to pay all expenses of the work. In both the upper and lower tunnels nearly two feet of solid ore is shown up, and be vein in both workings continues to blow wider and richer as depth is gained.

SILVER BOW BASIN.

"Juneau *Free Press*: This season just passed has certainly been an era in the history of mining in Silver Bow basin. Early last spring, two new enterprises were started the opening up of the placer deposits in the upper basin by the Nowell Mining Company, and the erection of a 10-stamp mill and tramway by the Eastern Alaska Mill and Mining Company. Work on both has been pushed forward during the summer as fast as money and men could do it, and now at nearly the close of the season, we find the former enterprise in a state of rapid progress and the latter is completed.

"The new venture undertaken by the Nowell Mining Company is the tapping of the upper basin placer deposits by a tunnel which will be used as a sluiceway. The tunnel will be about 4000 feet in length, and crosses 9x10 for the first 900 feet or of the first upraise and from thence on 8x10. Since starting up work last spring under the management of a very efficient superintendent and foreman, Job Farnsworth, work has progressed rapidly. Our representative visited these workings this week and was greatly surprised to see the great amount of work that had been accomplished. In so short a time. The great tunnel is now in about 200 feet, and is being driven at the rate of about forty feet a week, and barring any serious mishaps it is confidently that wash up on the Charlotte ground will commence some time in May next. Under the superintendency of William Nelson, foreman of ditches, flumes and reservoirs, rapid progress has been made in that work, also in the excavation of these ditches considerable rock work is encountered and flumes will have to be put in, but the superintendent has laid out the work in such shape that through his efficient foreman will be completed by the time he tunnel is ready to receive the water.

"Mr. Maynard, chief carpenter and millwright contractor, has done a fine job on all the building, and to him is due the credit for the comfortable quarters the workmen now occupy.

"Work will be pushed on this tunnel all winter, and should the water power not be sufficient, the air compressor will be applied as everything is in readiness to meet such emergencies.

"This is one of the solid running enterprises of Alaska, involving in the completion of all the work as now laid out an expenditure of about $100,000. It has for its foundation, which insures for it an ultimate success, a vast basin or deposit of gravel, that yields from 10 cents to $1.75 per yard.

"The Alaska Gold Mountain Mining Company have during the year so far expended about $50,000 in Silver Bow basin. They have erected one of the most complete ten-stamp mills ever put up, nearly 1000 feet of tramway, and developed their mining property as extensively. On Thursday last the company started up their mill and soon the superintendent informs us it will run continuously night and day.

"During last winter arrangements were perfected between the company and the Pioneer Alaska Mill and Mining Company for the erection of reduction works and transmission on the Juneau group, and work on the same was started during last spring. Through most adverse management this work has all been pushed to completion in one long short season, and now everything is in perfect condition, the mill ready to commence running and a big dump of ore at the mine. The work at the mine has proved most satisfactory, showing a fine vein of ore at a depth of 800 feet, and in doing this work about 1000 tons of ore have been taken out.

"Early next spring additional ten stamps will be added to this mill with the probability of increasing its capacity to forty stamps before a year. In doing all the work done since last spring, great credit is due to W. A. Sanderson, of the prominent stockholders and superintendent of the mill, who, aside from putting together one of the most complete plants of the kind ever contracted, added to it inventions of his own for saving gold that have been applied in successful practical endeavor, thus saving from $2100 to $3000 per month.

"Through all the able management the success of this company, called the Alaska Treadwell, and possessed of such shores is not a failure."

A LOOK AT IOWA.

What Prohibition Has Done in Iowa, Legislation Activities.

CHICAGO, Nov. 19.

Concerning the court which contains the entire Club and Department Center from Burlington to Keokuk, Iowa City, Council Bluffs and Sioux City, together with a few other counties, has a population of foreign-born population, and it will not be difficult to see the cause back of the election of Boies. The following shows the majorities which he and prohibition democratic candidates received in these counties as compared to

	Majorities	
	Boies	Gear
Allamakee	1,497	
Carroll	49	
Clayton	579	
Clinton	662	
Crawford	64	
Des Moines	631	
Dubuque		1,759
Jackson		7
Johnson		466
Lee		66
Plymouth	128	
Pottawattamie	894	
Scott	1,458	
Woodbury	436	
Total	6,130	2,631

In the fourteen anti-prohibition counties a republican majority of 3477 has disappeared and a democratic majority of 2,653 has taken its place, making a change of 6,130. That tells the story for in all the other counties the same anti-prohibition feeling existed more or less and cut down the republican majorities everywhere. Garfield had over 78,000; Boies was elected by 5,000, making a loss of 81,000. This loss began as soon as the prohibition law passed and has increased each year until it culminated in the election of an anti-prohibition governor.

THE PORTAGE RAILROAD.

PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 19.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

That the Columbia river should be opened to free navigation by the general government, whose duty it is as the universal debtor of the people of Oregon and Eastern Washington, and that such government should take immediate and active steps in the matter is also universally demanded. But when we come to the character of the improvements to be made, there appears to be a difference of opinion and a division of council. Governor Pennoyer in a letter to the chief engineer followed by an interview in the Chicago papers urges the building of a portage railroad between The Dalles and Celilo by the general government to be followed by the building of locks and canal. Senators Dolph and Mitchell as evidenced by their letters published in THE OREGONIAN of the 16th inst. favor the building of a boat railway. It would be much better if there was harmony instead of division of counsel in this matter. Is the governor in the right in this regard, or are our senators? Does the governor represent the wishes and interest of the people of the state of Oregon or do the senators? These are questions that should be seriously considered not only by those gentlemen themselves, but by the people of the state who are so very largely interested in the proposed work. In answer as regard the wishes of the people of Oregon, the following joint memorial passed at the last session of the Oregon legislature is furnished which can be found on page 638 of the Session Laws of 1889, and which has the force of a directive to our senators and representatives in congress:

SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL 9.

To the Honorable the Senate and Representatives in Congress from Oregon. Your memorialists, the legislative assembly of the state of Oregon, hereby respectfully represent that:

WHEREAS, The Columbia river is obstructed at the Cascades and The Dalles, rendering navigation thereof impossible; and

WHEREAS, In consequence of such obstruction a very large area of productive country is largely dependent upon a single railroad corporation and is in consequence subjected to extortionate and unreasonable freight charges; and

WHEREAS, The locks at the Cascades now in progress of construction will evidently not be completed for a long time; and

WHEREAS, When they are completed the obstructions from The Dalles to Celilo will still remain; and

WHEREAS, With an open portage road around said locks, steamers from Portland and Celilo, a distance of 140 miles, will afford much relief to the people of Eastern Oregon, Eastern Washington and Idaho east of the Cascade mountains; and

WHEREAS, The waters along the Columbia river basin contain a large quantity of fish, which can be easily and cheaply canned; and

WHEREAS, Many persons in the United States and Europe are desirous of investing capital in the fish-canning business in Oregon, but are deterred from so doing by the fact that the Columbia river is obstructed at the Cascades and The Dalles; and

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WHEREAS, The people of Oregon, Washington and Idaho have petitioned congress for the construction of a portage railroad around said obstructions, and congress has appropriated money for the survey of said road; and

WHEREAS, Said survey has been completed and the chief engineer has reported in favor of the construction of said road, and congress has appropriated money for the construction of said road; and

WHEREAS, Said road is now under construction by the general government; and

WHEREAS, The people of Oregon, Washington and Idaho are desirous of having said road completed at the earliest possible date